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[YAQUI WAR.]

SNARE DRUMS CAUGHT THE TROOPS.

**Mexicans Led to Believe
Indians Near.**

**But the Reds Had Skipped Off
to the Mountains.**

**Only Fighting Now Bein Done
is by Skirmishers.**

The Forces Waiting for Cooler
Weather Before Going On With
the Campaign—Savages Cut
the Wires.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
POTAM (Mex.) Aug. 24.—(Wired from Hermosillo (Mex.) Aug. 31.)—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Col. Peinado, the rough rider of the Mexican forces, came in from Torin with a troop yesterday, and today is scouting between the river and the mountains. A company of eighty Pima Indians and forty Mexicans from Arizpe and Magdalena arrived today, and will go to Torin tomorrow. The Pimas have fought the Yaquis before and understand the game. They lost one man by sunstroke on their way up the river.

While the Mexican officers expect to find the Indians in force and fight them south of the river, well-informed Mexican settlers say most of the hostiles have gone to the mountains, leaving but a few in the bosque to make a noise and keep the troops here. Blas Torres, who has fought Indians from Walla Walla, in 1862, to San Carlos in late years, and who has known the Yaquis since 1870, says it is certain the Indians have left the river in great numbers. Many rafted by them in crossing have floated down the river. The drums heard here in the morning are beaten to deceive the troops and attract attention while the crossings are being made higher up.

The fate of Tatablate is a matter of dispute. The Yaquis say he is a prisoner, chained by the leg, and given a toy bow in diversion. They say the body recognized as his was that of another Indian, dressed in his clothes. Blas Torres says he heard the Yaquis threaten before the outbreak to kill Tatablate, whom they accused of having sold out to the Mexicans, and he doubts that the old chief is alive.

VAQUEROS ATTACKED.

One of Their Number Killed and
Many Cattle Seized.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
POTAM (Mex.) Aug. 26.—(Wired from Hermosillo (Mex.) Aug. 31.)—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The campaign in the valley is suspended because of hot weather, and the Indians have escaped from the bosque to the mountains. On the 23d, twenty-five vaqueros went out to gather and bring in stock. They rounded up 300 head and started a large body of Indians, who attacked and killed Joaquin, the best vaquero in the valley, dispersed the Mexicans and captured all the stock.

On the 24th, the Indians cut down seven poles and took away 600 meters of wire, near Pitaya, destroying telegraph communication between here and Guaymas. They also cut the line to Torin. The Torin line was restored on the 26th.

Several ranchers at San Marcial and Las Prietas are reported as shot. The Mexicans have orders to shoot all Yaquis found on the roads or in the brush without asking questions, and it is believed the settlers near San Marcial have been carrying out the orders. The Yaquis are retreating, and all roads are now more dangerous than ever.

The plan of campaign arranged ten days ago, to drive the Indians through the bosque south of the river to the sea, was abandoned, because no large body of Indians was there. Families of Mexicans on the north edge of town come in and sleep in corrals now, fearing a night attack. The offensive movement of troops must be toward the mountains, and a new plan has been arranged.

Gen. Luis Torres is expected here soon to consult with Lorenzo. The latter is impatient to take the field, but his wound is not sufficiently healed. Two more battalions of regulars are called for to occupy the passes and water places in the mountains. State troops will be used to chase the Indians in the brush. The campaign is not likely to begin actively until cool weather, next month. Col. Reinaldo, a Mexican rough rider, is scouting between here and the mountains with cavalry troops to catch Yaqui raiders.

ALLEN KELLY.

ONE DAY LATER.

Wires Repaired—Yaquis Attacked, but
Flee When They See Pimas.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
POTAM, Aug. 27.—(Wired from Hermosillo, Mex., Aug. 31.)—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The wire cut by the Yaquis has been repaired, and today the wire to Torin was cut. Yesterday thirty soldiers, including some Pimas, were attacked on the road to Pitaya, and one man was wounded. The Yaquis fled when they saw that they had to deal with Pimas instead of Mexican Nacionales.

Three men on the road to Medano were attacked yesterday by Yaquis, but nobody was hurt. Some shots were heard last night at the edge of town. No casualty has been reported.

Eighty Yaquis and Mayos arrived from Torin on the way to Magdalena to work under contract; one woman died of sunstroke on her arrival. This is the beginning of the removal of the Yaquis from the valley.

The Mexican troops are doing absolutely nothing, except those looking for marauders. Gen. Luis Torres has not been here to consult Lorenzo, but is expected "manana."

ALLEN KELLY.

MEXICANS WERE ROUTED.

Volunteer Company Licked by
Eighty of the Yaquis.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
HERMOSILLO (Mex.) Aug. 31.—A company of volunteers went from here this morning to Pitaya to join Col. Peinado's command and arrest the Yaquis who had destroyed the telegraph lines to Potam. The troops met a band of about eighty Yaquis, and a short fight occurred, in which one hero was killed and the Mexicans routed. Gen. Torres' headquarters have been entirely cut off from telegraphic communication with the outer world for the last five days. The Yaquis burned about a mile of telegraph poles and carried away the wire.

Volunteers continue to arrive daily in columns of 100 or more, and a heavy-guarded pack-train went from here this morning. The Yaquis are kept busy conveying new guns and ammunition from the launches at Medano to Lorin. Gen. Luis Torres has suspended his operations, and the cooler weather will have set in and the troops will be better able to take care of themselves. By that time there will be about three thousand more soldiers in the field.

UPPER-LEATHER TRUST.

American Hide and Leather Company
Combines Twenty-four Concerns.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]
NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The American Hide and Leather Company, an upper-leather trust which was incorporated in New Jersey on Tuesday with a capital of \$35,000,000, will merge twenty-four concerns.

The sales of the interests to be consolidated amounted last year to \$24,000,000, with an average profit of 10 per cent. The capitalization will be equally divided into common, and 7 per cent. cumulative preferred stock, of which \$14,000,000 preferred and \$12,000,000 common, will be issued.

Funded debt to the amount of \$10,000,000 first mortgage 6 per cent. gold bonds has been authorized. The new company will have \$8,000,000 to be put out. All the bond issue has been oversubscribed. These will be prudential treasury reserves, and the company will start with a working capital of \$3,000,000. Officers will be elected next Tuesday.

FRANK IVES DEAD.

Champion Billiardist Succumbs to
Consumption at Progresso, Mex.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
GRAND RAPIDS (Mich.) Aug. 31.—A telegram received by Dr. J. D. Peters, father-in-law of Frank Ives, the champion billiard player, announces the latter's death, which occurred at Progresso, Mex.

Consumption was the cause of death. Ives' remains will be brought to Plainfield, Mich., at which place he was born in 1868.

SPIRIT OF OPPOSITION.

Italian Squadron in Chinese Waters
to Be Reinforced.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
PEKING, Aug. 31.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Owing to the spirit of opposition and evasion shown by the Chinese Foreign Office in negotiations now in progress between China and Italy, the Italian squadron in Chinese waters will be immediately reinforced by two torpedo-boat destroyers.

Millionaires Buy Off Lands.

DENVER, Aug. 31.—A special to the Republican from Cheyenne, Wyo., says that a company of New York millionaires recently acquired title to a large tract of oil lands in Wyoming, and under the name of the Union Oil Company, will sink wells and develop the property. Three prominent members of them, accompanied by oil experts, are now en route to Cheyenne to complete arrangements for starting work at once.

[POLITICAL.]

THE KEYNOTE

**President's Pittsburgh
Speech Pleases.**

**Philippine Policy Approved by
the Country Generally.**

**Republican Party Will Meet the
Opposition's Challenges.**

Murat Halstead Has an Exciting
Time in a Cincinnati Club—Calls
a Sympathizer With Aguinaldo a Traitor.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The staff correspondent of the Washington Star, who is accompanying President McKinley on his vacation trip, sends to his paper today a dispatch from Canton, O. The correspondent says his dispatch is based upon opinions which he gathered during half an hour of personal chat with the President. He says President McKinley does not hesitate to show his gratification with the way in which his Philippine speech at Pittsburgh was received by the country. The correspondent continues:

"The President is satisfied the country now understands his Philippine policy, and will support it. I infer that a campaign of education regarding the industrial and commercial relations of the islands is to follow, with the view of demonstrating the value of these possessions of the United States in the Far East. The point, however, is that the national administration will henceforth take aggressive measures for carrying out the President's policy, and every challenge of the opposition will be met."

"No party issue is considered involved, but the McKinley administration will stand for the complete and unconditional establishment of American authority in the Philippines, and to that extent, for expansion. Those who support it will not be amiss in describing themselves as expansionists. The opponents of the President's policy who raised the questions in various State campaigns will be met on their own ground. The administration is willing that the issue of the Philippines shall be put as a vote of confidence in the administration by the various States which hold elections in November."

"Here in Ohio, where party capital is sought by the Democrats and where President McKinley has a special interest in the result, instead of attacking the Democrats will be attacked in the position they have taken. Yesterday the President was in consultation with George K. Nash, Republican candidate for Governor, and Representative Dick, chairman of the State Executive Committee. He gave them many suggestions and much advice. An aggressive campaign will undoubtedly be followed."

"While the Philippine policy has been clearly indicated and while the President's

textbook, I infer that there is a definite purpose to keep out of entangling alliances. The Philippine question is one solely for the United States, because the responsibility devolves solely upon the United States.

"To the suggestion that an effort is being made to stir up Germans against the administration because of the talk of alliances, the President invariably asks: 'What alliance?' This is usually coupled with the statement that the two governments of the United States and Germany are on the most friendly terms, and that their friendly relations are certain to continue."

PRESIDENT AT CANTON.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
CANTON (O.) Aug. 31.—President McKinley's brief visit to this, his home, is marked with almost constant calls and informal visits from his old neighbors and friends. But he seems to be thoroughly enjoying the little chats with his old friends, and is in the best of spirits. Aside from a trip to the cemetery this morning with Mrs. McKinley, where they laid flowers on the graves of departed parents and relatives, and the little drive about the city, which followed, the President remained practically all day at the Harbor residence.

Only the most urgent matters of public business were forwarded from Washington to receive attention here, but even this kept the secretaries well occupied.

ONE OF THE OLD GUARD.

Murat Halstead Filchs the Word
"Traitor" into an Audience.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
CINCINNATI, Aug. 31.—Editor Murat Halstead lectured tonight, by invitation of the Economic Club, which meets with this city friends, at the Congregational Church. The audience was miscellaneous, in addition to the members of the club, which is largely "imperialistic." Mr. Halstead's subject was the "Philippines."

After the lecture, according to the rules of the club, Halstead was pitted with questions. One of the questioners, with decided sympathy for Aguinaldo, after his question had been answered, added the remarks: "I hope Otis will be kept in and will keep on blundering, till he and the whole army are driven into the sea, or captured."

Mr. Halstead said: "A man with those sentiments is a traitor to his country."

Several men jumped and remarked: "Two-thirds of this audience think that way." Mr. Halstead replied: "Whoever thinks that way is a traitor." Then there was a rush down the hall with raised fists toward Halstead, but a great number of men stepped in between him and those who were rushing at him. Through the noise and uproar was disclosed the fact that the audience was composed of men on both sides of that question. Halstead was quietly led out of the church by a side door and taken home. No blows were struck, but chairs and seats were upset, and there were loud threats and a great uproar.

"ELECTIONEERING WIND."

What the London Globe Calls Part of
Ohio's Democratic Platform.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
LONDON, Aug. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Commenting on the paragraph in the platform adopted yesterday at the Ohio State Democratic Convention, denouncing "the secret and vicious alliance now in evidence between England and the Republican administration," the Globe today says that no such alliance is ever likely to come to pass.

The paper believes that the Republican utterance upon the Americans and says: "The more cordial friendship which has latterly grown up between the great English-speaking nations has struck too deep roots on both sides of the Atlantic to be blown away by a puff of electioneering wind."

Points of the News in Today's Times.

[INDEX TO THE NEWS BUDGET.—Volume: Fresh A. P. Night Report and exclusive Times specials received by wire—since dark last night, about 12 columns. Financial and Commercial, about 3 columns. Day Report (not so fresh) about 10 columns. Aggregate, 25 columns. The Index (for both telegraphic and local news) refers to general classification, subject and page.]

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[THE PHILIPPINES.]

A PLAIN TALE

**Col. Bayless's Expedition
is Successful.**

**Drives a Band of Cebu Natives
from Earthworks.**

**No Harm to Americans Save
Heat Prostrations.**

Insurgents Cease Preparations for
an Attack on Imus on Finding
That the Fourth Infantry is
Waiting for Them.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Sun's Manila cablegram says preparations are being made to inflict severe punishment upon the brigands who have been causing trouble in the island of Cebu. Heretofore Gen. Otis has been inclined to leave the islands in the lower part of the archipelago alone until the insurgents in Luzon were conquered. The brigands, taking advantage of this plan, have intimidated many of the peacefully inclined inhabitants by threatening to assassinate them, and have thus gained many recruits to their side. They have practically succeeded in paralyzing the business of the entire island. Noninterference with their lawless proceedings made them bold, and recently they have attacked several small reconnoitering parties.

Orders were given to hunt down the brigands, and Col. Bayless of the Tennessee regiment with a company of that command and a company of the Twenty-third Regular Infantry, started from Cebu, while Capt. Allaire, with a company of the Twenty-third Infantry, started from El Pardo to attack the natives.

Bayless moved up the valley, while Allaire moved down, hoping to catch the enemy in the center. They succeeded in clearing the valley, but the enemy took to the hills. During the advance Allaire saw one of the brigands about to shoot an American officer. Allaire took a rifle from one of his men and shot the rebel, who subsequently proved to be an insurgent general.

Next day the attack was resumed, and Bayless, in a position part way up the hills, where he had the rebels in range, opened a hot fire and drove them from their lower trenches and a considerable distance up the heights. The Americans made no attempt to hold the captured position, but returned to Cebu that night. The destruction of the rebel stronghold would probably result in ending the trouble in Cebu.

The cruiser Charleston recently drove brigands out of their position. She delivered twenty-eight 8-inch shells at a range of 8900 yards. Her work would have been far more effective had it not been for the fact that neither she nor other warships have any shrapnel. Shells with time fuses are needed for effective work.

SOME HEAT PROSTRATIONS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
MANILA, Aug. 31, 5:30 p.m.—Dispatches just received from Cebu announce that the American troops, under Col. Bayless, with two field pieces, sallied Monday into the hills against a band of natives who recently ambushed four of our soldiers and who have been generally troublesome. The Americans found the natives entrenched and drove them from their trenches further into the hills. There were no casualties on the American side, though there were some heat prostrations. The natives' loss is not known.

The United States cruiser Charleston landed men, who guarded the city during the absence of the troops. The Fourth Infantry having prepared to give the insurgents a warm reception, the latter have ceased their preparations for an attack on Imus.

BLOCKADE THE ISLANDS.

Plan to Prevent the Insurgents from
Getting Supplies.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Sun's Washington special says new, and it is believed effective, means of preventing the Luzon insurgents from securing munitions of war and other supplies from the outside will probably be put in operation by Maj.-Gen. Otis and Rear-Admiral Watson within a short time. The matter will be taken up for consideration when President McKinley returns to Washington.

The government has been aware for several months that insurgents were securing food and ammunition from places outside of the islands, and every effort has been made to stop this traffic. The recent addition to the naval force in the Philippines of a number of light-draft gunboats has been followed by a great many captures of filibustering craft, mostly

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SEARCH THE RUINS.

YUMA PEOPLE MAKE A HUNT FOR THEIR DEAD.

Forty Convicts Put at Work Under a Heavy Guard Digging a Ditch to Drain Sanguinetti's Flooded Basement.

Bodies of James Tapia and Rudolfo Wilson Still in the Debris—Two Miners and Two Tramps May Have Perished.

Female Railway President Committed to Jail—Murder Near Livermore—Junk-dealing Fagin Found—Spongole's Case.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

YUMA, (Ariz.) Aug. 31.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The ruins of E. F. Sanguinetti's store which was burned yesterday morning, is being slowly cleared up. Two, and possibly three, dead bodies still remain buried under the tons of debris and the four feet of water in the bottom of the cellar. A ditch has been dug today to the lower part of the town, and the water is being slowly drained off, so that by morning the workmen will be able to locate the dead. The funeral of the dead who were taken out, was held this afternoon, and was the largest ever seen in Yuma.

The fire is still burning in a large pile of flour in one corner of the ruins, it being unsafe to get a hose on it on account of the loose portions of wall still standing, which may fall with a gust of wind, but which are left standing until the dead are all taken out. It is being closely watched, and no further danger is expected.

Sanguinetti has opened an office across the street adjoining Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express office, and will fill all contracts.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

YUMA, (Ariz.) Aug. 31.—Anxious friends and relatives are still searching the ruins of yesterday's fire for the remains of the unfortunate victims. The bodies of two young men, James Tapia and Rudolfo Wilson, are known to be still beneath the debris. Two miners and two tramps, who had been around town for several days, and who were seen at the first fire, are supposed to have perished.

The work of removing the dead is proceeding very slowly, owing to the great quantity of debris and water in the basement where they are buried. A force of forty convicts from the Territorial prison, who are being used to dig a heavy guard, this afternoon, digging a ditch, to drain the basement. The ditch is several hundred feet long and seven feet deep. The workmen are out of the basement by morning, when the debris can be handled to a greater advantage.

The funeral of the four unfortunate who were recovered yesterday took place at 4:30 o'clock this evening. The remains were followed to the funeral home, where they were placed in a casket, and the entire population there being over forty carriages in the procession.

TO CONTROL ORIENTAL TRADE.

(A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The project of certain moneyed men to organize a United States and China Trading Company, to control the bulk of the trade of China, has excited much comment among the commercial people of this city, some of whom give the scheme formulated by Ho Yow, the Chinese Consul-General, their unqualified approval.

A move has been made to organize the company, which, it is understood, is liberally backed by the Chinese government, although the Consul-General is acting in his individual capacity. In brief, the proposition is that if a company is formed here with from \$500,000 to a million in capital, and is secured from the Chinese government about every trading, contracting and commercial concession that it sees fit to ask for.

To prevent total annihilation as a nation the Flowery Kingdom is obliged to secure a commercial treaty with some other strong nation, and the only friendly government has proved to be the United States.

The Manufacturers' and Producers' Association has appointed its president, A. Sbarbaro, to act in the matter, and at a meeting of capitalists and business men, it was decided to prepare an address to be sent to every commercial body in the union, setting forth the advantages of accepting the offer, made virtually by the Chinese government.

FOR CALIFORNIA PRODUCTS.

(A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The Call states that the Kosmos line of steamers, that is to connect Antwerp, Hamburg, London and South and Central American ports in a monthly service, with this city, as its western terminus, will carry California products to Europe nearly three months quicker than they can be transported by sailing vessels.

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(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

YUMA, (Ariz.) Aug. 31.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The ruins of E. F. Sanguinetti's store which was burned yesterday morning, is being slowly cleared up. Two, and possibly three, dead bodies still remain buried under the tons of debris and the four feet of water in the bottom of the cellar. A ditch has been dug today to the lower part of the town, and the water is being slowly drained off, so that by morning the workmen will be able to locate the dead. The funeral of the dead who were taken out, was held this afternoon, and was the largest ever seen in Yuma.

The fire is still burning in a large pile of flour in one corner of the ruins, it being unsafe to get a hose on it on account of the loose portions of wall still standing, which may fall with a gust of wind, but which are left standing until the dead are all taken out. It is being closely watched, and no further danger is expected.

Sanguinetti has opened an office across the street adjoining Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express office, and will fill all contracts.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

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The work of removing the dead is proceeding very slowly, owing to the great quantity of debris and water in the basement where they are buried. A force of forty convicts from the Territorial prison, who are being used to dig a heavy guard, this afternoon, digging a ditch, to drain the basement. The ditch is several hundred feet long and seven feet deep. The workmen are out of the basement by morning, when the debris can be handled to a greater advantage.

The funeral of the four unfortunate who were recovered yesterday took place at 4:30 o'clock this evening. The remains were followed to the funeral home, where they were placed in a casket, and the entire population there being over forty carriages in the procession.

TO CONTROL ORIENTAL TRADE.

(A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The project of certain moneyed men to organize a United States and China Trading Company, to control the bulk of the trade of China, has excited much comment among the commercial people of this city, some of whom give the scheme formulated by Ho Yow, the Chinese Consul-General, their unqualified approval.

A move has been made to organize the company, which, it is understood, is liberally backed by the Chinese government, although the Consul-General is acting in his individual capacity. In brief, the proposition is that if a company is formed here with from \$500,000 to a million in capital, and is secured from the Chinese government about every trading, contracting and commercial concession that it sees fit to ask for.

To prevent total annihilation as a nation the Flowery Kingdom is obliged to secure a commercial treaty with some other strong nation, and the only friendly government has proved to be the United States.

The Manufacturers' and Producers' Association has appointed its president, A. Sbarbaro, to act in the matter, and at a meeting of capitalists and business men, it was decided to prepare an address to be sent to every commercial body in the union, setting forth the advantages of accepting the offer, made virtually by the Chinese government.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The only woman president of a railway company in the United States was formally committed to the County Jail for five days for contempt of court by Judge Troutt today. The woman in question is Mrs. Annie Kline Rickert, and the railway is the Stockton and Tuolumne Railway Company.

Some time ago Charles Erickson, a contractor, sued to recover \$750.00 for labor performed and material furnished. When the case came up for trial on Monday R. S. Clark, secretary of the company, was ordered to produce the books of the corporation in court. Tuesday he reported that Mrs. Rickert declined to allow the books to leave the company's office.

The court, thereupon, ordered Mrs.

George Holmes Chokes His Brother to Death Near Livermore.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

OAKLAND, Aug. 31.—George Holmes, at daylight this morning, choked to death his brother, Oliver Holmes, at the family residence, seven miles from Livermore. Breakfast was waiting on the table, and the ranch hands were ready to be served. They waited for the brothers, who were in an adjoining room.

George knocked Oliver down and then deliberately choked him to death. The murder was over family affairs. George Holmes is 58 years old, while the murdered man was aged 70. Oliver and his little grandson named Hampton. George was beating the child early this morning. The little one ran to Oliver for protection. A battle ensued, and the two brothers fought. Just as Oliver was expiring his three sons rushed into the room and jumped on George, but it was too late.

Francisco, Alexander B. Williamson of San Francisco.

DRINK ENDS IN SUICIDE.

Described by His Wife a San Francisco Actor Kills Himself.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—George A. Watson, an actor and teacher of elocution, was found dead in his room today, his head crushed in by a falling bottle. Watson had been drinking heavily for several weeks, and his bad habits caused him to leave his wife. This desertion brooded upon his mind and caused him to take his life. In a note to his brother, who resided in Oakland, Watson stated that his wife was the cause of his death.

Watson, in his prime, was a member of the prominent theatrical companies, and has recently been a member of the Alcazar Stock Company in this city. He also conducted a theatrical school in this city and Oakland. He was at one time connected with a bank at Sacramento, and later held a prominent position in the bank in this city. His wife is an actress.

SAN FRANCISCO SCORCHED.

Planting-mill and Ironworks Burned and Other Property Blistered.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—Shortly after 9 o'clock last night, a fire broke out in the planting-mill of George W. Thomson on Mission street, near Fremont street, and in a few minutes the entire place was a mass of flames. The mill occupies nearly a quarter of a block, and this section was entirely destroyed. The warehouse of the Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson, hardware, and the Gorham Rubber Company, adjoining, were badly scorched. Charles C. Whitney's iron works, which were one of two other small concerns, two firemen, James Collins, assistant foreman, and John Denney of engine No. 12, were injured. Watson stated that a section of roof as it fell. The former had one ankle sprained and was severely burned, but will recover. Denney was slightly wounded on the head.

The loss is variously estimated at from \$20,000 to \$40,000, with very small insurance, the building was an old one, and had been condemned by the fire department.

AWAITING DEPORTATION.

Writ of Habeas Corpus Denied in Case of S. Ota.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The case of S. Ota, a Japanese who was ordered deported by Immigration Commissioner H. H. North, came up for second hearing before Judge de Haven in the United States District court today. W. H. L. Barnes, representing Ota, maintained that the Japanese was not an alien within the meaning of the immigration act, and was entitled to land.

While concurring in this contention Judge de Haven decided that the matter was not within the jurisdiction of his court, and refused the petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Ota remains in the custody of the commissioner awaiting deportation.

NEWARK'S MISHAP.

Cruiser's Piston-rod Broke and Smashed a Cylinder-head.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The cruiser Newark, which was ordered to port to Tuesday, was coming into port on Tuesday, the news of which has just leaked out. When off Angel Island one of the piston-rods broke in two, and the piston smashed through the cylinder-head.

The engine was stopped as soon as the trouble was discovered, and the bay on her engine. The repairs will probably be made at Mare Island.

VERSENECKOCHOCKOFF.

He Will Live a While Longer to Enjoy His Name.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The Supreme Court reversed the lower court in its judgment, wherein Albert Frederick George Verseneckochockoff, otherwise known as Albert Hoff, was adjudged to be hanged for the murder of Mrs. Mary Clute in this city, and a new trial was ordered. The Attorney-General has decided to appeal, and the court by the signatures of Chief Justice Beatty and Justices Van Dyke, McFarland and Garoutte, has granted a writ of habeas corpus, and ordered the case to be reargued at the Los Angeles session. It will probably be heard on October 11.

Pung Chuck Rearrested.

SAN JOSE, Aug. 31.—Pung Chuck was arrested this evening by Chief Kildward on a warrant for murder issued out of Judge Chan's court, San Francisco. Chuck was arrested here last spring for an attempt to murder Ah Poon of the Hip Sing tong, near Chinatown. Poon was shot in the head. He failed to identify Chuck, and the latter was discharged. A few weeks ago Poon died in San Francisco from the effects of the wound. The arrest tonight is probably the outcome of Poon's death.

Japan's Camphor Monopoly.

VANCOUVER (B.C.) Aug. 31.—News comes from Formosa that the Japanese government intends, after the monopoly system of the island for six months, or so without making any effort to fix the price according to the demand, which may be found to exist for the drug in foreign countries. The recent abolition of some 1500 kilns for the production of camphor, as a result of the operation of the new law, threw many hands out of employment.

Had Forged Checks on Him.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 31.—A man who gave his name as F. J. Cole was arrested here tonight by George Layton, on whom he attempted to pass a check purporting to be signed by Public Administrator Smith, which was found to be forged. He had checks in his possession purporting to be signed by other parties. Cole is over six feet high, and gave his captors a lively tussle.

Enterprising Afro-American.

OAKLAND, Aug. 31.—Thomas Pearson, a colored man, was today admitted to practice by the Supreme Court. He is a native of Washington, N. C., and was born a slave. His education was acquired in the public schools of Vallejo, and for years he has been prominent in Afro-American circles.

New Labor Commissioner.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—F. W. Meyers, the newly-appointed commissioner of the State Labor Bureau, will tomorrow assume charge of the office. It is stated that E. L. Fitzgerald will go into business on the Hawaiian Islands.

Capitalist Takes Rat Poison.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—James Gillick, a Mission capitalist and property owner, was found dead in his room at his residence, No. 503 Twenty-second street. Death was caused by a dose of rat poison, taken with suicidal intent. He is believed to have been partly demented.

A PLAIN TALE.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

small schooners, but, owing to certain international considerations, interdiction of insurgent supplies has not been made as effective as the government desires.

From the first the Navy Department has insisted that the only sure means of preventing traffic was the establishment of a blockade of all ports in the Island of Luzon, and this has been followed by a formal recommendation by the department to that effect. Naval officers insist that the navy is able to shut off all supplies for the insurgents shipped from outside places.

While there does not appear to be any difference of opinion as to the excellence of this policy among the officials of the three departments concerned—State, War and Navy—some of those in authority have questioned the advisability of pursuing such a course on the ground that it would give foreign nations cause for recognizing the belligerent status of the insurgents. It has been pointed out that under international law, a nation cannot blockade its own ports, and for the United States to declare a blockade of ports in the Philippines would be virtually acknowledging that a state of war existed. It has been proposed as a means of meeting the difficulty that an order be issued closing all ports in Luzon with the exception of Manila, to outside trade. Such action would not constitute a declaration of blockade.

THE WELCOME GIVEN THE MEN FROM THE GRANT.

Triumphal Procession Through the Streets of San Francisco to the Presidio—Two Governors and Other High State Officials Review It.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—At 9 o'clock this morning the 138th officers and men of the Idaho, First North Dakota and First Wyoming regiments of volunteer infantry and a battalion of the Wyoming Light Artillery who arrived yesterday from Manila, disembarked from the transport Grant at the Portsmouth-street wharf, and marched in triumph through the city to the Presidio, where they will remain in camp until mustered out of the service.

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Giles Noyes Takes the Pioneered Race in Good Time—Thomas C. and Tommy Britton Capture the Last Two Trots.

Australian Cricketers Playing a Picked Team—Reapers' Stake Won by Kinley Mack—Louisville Club to Quit Playing.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.

DUBUQUE, Aug. 31.—A large crowd was disappointed at Nutwood Park track today. They gathered with the expectation of seeing a great scramble between four pacers for the special purse of \$25,000. The race was a gift to Directly, who was never in danger from beginning to end. The best heat was turned in 2:07. This was the first time since the race was made in 2:08 and 2:08 1/2, respectively. In the first heat, Directly went out at the quarter and led all the way, except for a moment, drawing up to the half, where Ananias stuck his nose in front. Coming down the stretch, Directly closed second, but broke and fell back to the last.

In the second, Directly was in front all the way. Ananias held second place to the head of the stretch, where Place came out and took the place, a length behind Directly. The other two took the deciding heat by two lengths. Borough Park had second money cinched, and laid back and finished easy in third place.

It took two heats to decide the 2:07 pace yesterday. From yesterday, Giles Noyes went to the front at the quarter in the first, and won easy at a length in 2:06 1/2. In the second Trotter gave Noyes a run for his money from the half to the wire. Both drivers urged their charges hard, and came down the stretch and under the wire close to a dead heat, but Noyes got first place and the race. Trotter took second money. The deciding heat was won in 2:07 1/2.

Nine starters lined up for the 2:18 trot. In the first heat of the four necessary to decide on a winner, Elbert led to the quarter, where he was headed by Aegon Star and Jack D. who led the procession to the three-quarters pole. Jack was coming to the front fast, but broke and fell back to third place. Thomas C. went out in front at the quarter in the second heat and led all the way. Aegon Star and Ashbrook finished second and third, but were set back to the tail end for running. Aegon Star and Thomas C. put up a pretty contest in the third heat. They were on even terms to the head of the stretch, Star finishing a nose in front on a break, and Thomas C. was given first place. The fourth was won easily by Thomas C. Aegon Star took second money and Elbert third.

Tommy Britton had an easy victory in the 2:10 trot. The other three formed as follows: Little Edgar, Caracalla and Pearlina C. This was the order in which they reached the wire. The weather was hot and track fast. Results:

Pace 2:07, purse \$1500, unfinished from yesterday. Noyes won second, fifth and sixth heats; time 2:05 1/2, 2:06 1/2, 2:07 1/2. Sully Toler won third and fourth heats and was second; time 2:06 1/2, 2:08 1/2. Noyes won first heat in 2:06, and was third. Tom Ogden and Sherman Clay also started. Special race for a purse of \$25,000. Directly (2:06 1/2) by Directly (West) won in straight heats; time 2:07, 2:08 1/2, 2:08 1/2. Borough Park (2:08 1/2) by Borough Park, by Tom McGregory (Starr) was second in first and second heats, and third in last heat. Ananias (2:08 1/2) by s. by Patron (Snow) won first and second heats and second in last heat. Trot, 2:18, purse \$2500. Thomas C. won second, third and fourth heats; time 2:12 1/2, 2:12 1/2, 2:12 1/2. Little Edgar won first heat in 2:11 1/2, and was second. Elbert third. Miss Sling, Dove Wing, Ashbrook, Jack D., Earline S. and Leger also started. Trot, 2:10, purse \$1500. Tommy Britton won in straight heats; time 2:12 1/2, 2:11 1/2, 2:12 1/2. Little Edgar second. Sparacalla third. Pearlina C. also started.

TWO MINUTE FLAT.

Great Mile by Star Pointer at Charter Oak Park.

HAIRTFORD (Ct.), Aug. 31.—The feature of the day at Charter Oak Park was Star Pointer's great mile, which was in 2:00 flat, without slip or break, beating the track record made by the same horse last season, 2:00 1/2. Dan McClary drove Pointer, and he was aided by two running horses, one going to the half and both coming down the stretch on either side of the pacer. The time by quarters was 0:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00.

There was intense excitement during the progress of the unfinished 2:17 trot, in which Letah S. was the favorite, early in the day, 2:15 to 1, and later, before the race started, 10 to 8 for the field. The change in the odds looked suspicious, and there was a great amount of money up. Dollade Wilkes and Letah each had a heat in Wednesday's contest, and Letah S. took the first of the heats today. In the fourth heat, however, she was trouble brewing. Kenney, driving Letah S., did not score her to the pole, and the word was given with the mare well in the rear. She broke on the first turn and made the mile in fifth place. Kenney complained that he was fouled, but the judges took him off the seat and put Geers up in the fifth heat. The veteran driver drove her to second place in the fifth heat, and in the sixth took the race, although Geers, behind Pilot Evans, was fined \$25 for not driving the heat to win. Dollade Wilkes had two heats.

Billy Andrews took the 2:30 pace, the first mile in 2:06 1/2. Coney being the only horse that had any business with him. The consolation race, all horses below second place in the Charter Oak stake of Monday was won by Rubber in three straight heats, with little difficulty. Precision second. The Abbott had a good thing in the free-for-all, doing the small field, John Nolan, Eagle Flanagan and Monterey with ease. John Nolan made a big bid, but was able to make only second. Geers driving The Abbott at pleasure. J. B. D. b. k. M. M. Norton of Chicago, b. k. h. c. k. made the mile in 2:15 1/2. Al J. Andrews, the driver, was fined \$100 for not starting John R. Gentry in the two-minute race Wednesday. Results:

The 2:17 trot, purse \$1500. Letah S. won second, third and sixth heats; time 2:13, 2:14 1/2, 2:17 1/2. Dollade Wilkes won first and fourth heats and was second; time 2:15 1/2, 2:16 1/2, 2:17 1/2. Evans won fifth heat in 2:17 1/2 and was third.

Ferry, Louie Dr. Pizer, Dr. Whitney and Myrtle Boy also started. The Nutmeg Stakes, purse \$150, 2:30 pace. Billy Andrews won in straight heats; time 2:06 1/2, 2:07 1/2, 2:10. Coney second. Toboggan third. Motion and Evolution also started. The Consolation, 2:16 trot, purse \$2000. Rubber won in straight heats; time 2:11 1/2, 2:12 1/2, 2:10. Precision second. Senator L. third. Royal Baron, Philip E. Miss Jay and Regal also started. Free-for-all, purse \$1500. The Abbott won in straight heats; time 2:06 1/2, 2:08 1/2, 2:07 1/2. John Nolan second. Eagle Flanagan third. Monterey also started.

SKINNED AND GORY.

Jack Moffatt a Slight When Ryan Let Him Off.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. DUBUQUE, Aug. 31.—Tommy Ryan was given the decision over Jack Moffatt at the end of a twenty-round bout here tonight. Ryan had his opponent going in the thirteenth round, and could easily have put him out, let down, however, and made no attempt to end the fight. Ryan did not show a mark, while Moffatt's nose and mouth bled freely, and his breast and neck were skinned from the jabbing he received. The 6000 spectators were disgusted because Ryan did not extend himself. Up to the thirteenth round the men gave a pretty exhibition, and Ryan had all the best of it. In the prelude to the fight between George Kerwin of Chicago and James Sellers (colored) of Marshalltown, Iowa, Sellers' seconds threw up the sponge at the end of the seventh round. It was a ridiculous exhibition.

The opening rounds of the Ryan-Moffatt fight were uneventful, though Ryan appeared to better advantage. In the fourth Ryan began to force the fighting, while Jack edged around the ring. In this round Ryan landed right and left seven times on the jaw. Moffatt began the fifth round on the aggressive, and landed on the wind, jaw and mouth. Later, Tommy chased Jack around the ring, landing repeatedly.

In the next three rounds Ryan did most of the work, though Jack landed several stiff lefts on the head. He was running a good deal of the time in the eighth. Moffatt went to the floor from two right swings on the jaw. He took six seconds.

In the twelfth Jack did most of the leading at a mile, and smashes on the ear put him on the run. Ryan's persistent jabbing on the mouth brought the blood in a stream. In the next round Ryan put left on jaw, having Moffatt groggy and dazed, and could have easily put him out. He let down, however, and made no attempt to end the fight.

In the fourteenth Moffatt came up weary. Ryan landed on the stomach and wind, and swung a right to the kidneys, and a right and left on the jaw, and Moffatt staggered against his opponent. Tommy was landing at will at the close.

THE REAPER'S STAKE.

Chief Race of the Day Won Easily by Kinley Mack.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The chief race on the card at Sheepshead Bay was the Reapers' Stakes for three-year-olds, at a mile and three-sixteenths, and Kinley Mack was a pronounced favorite, although His Lordship was well backed. Fast Black showed in front for a furlong, and then dropped to the rear, the favorite taking up the running. They ran, locked around and lower turn, up the back stretch and around the upper turn, with Martinus trailing a couple of lengths behind. As they came into the stretch, Martinus came with a rush, and His Lordship quit. McGue let out a whip on Kinley Mack, however, and he went out and won with a bit to spare. Results:

Selling, six furlongs: Jinks won, Saffin Slipper second, Peace third; time 1:14 4/5. Mile and a furlong: Azucena won, Muskadine second, Tragedian third; time 1:43 4/5. Partridge Stakes, six furlongs: Water King won, Shoreham second, Petrucho third; time 1:13.

The Reapers' one and three-sixteenths mile: Kinley Mack won, Martinus second. His Lordship third; time 2:02 2/5. Five furlongs: Olea won, Lingerie second, Linda S. third; time 1:02. Selling, mile and a sixteenth: Rare Perfume won, Maximo Gomez second, Handcut third; time 1:18 2/5.

GOLDEN GATE GAITS.

Fast Running in the Running Races at Oakland Track.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. OAKLAND, Aug. 31.—The programme for the fifth day of the Golden Gate Association was fast promising, but the running races resulted in close, exciting finishes. Backers experienced no trouble in picking winners, and the favorites had a big lining. The harness part of the card was not worthy of special mention. The mile race was taken by Orabie, in a hard drive with San Augustus, who surprised spectators by his staying qualities. Roadrunner was a bang-up third. Hohenheide ran a very hard race, allowing for his handicap. Mike Rice carried the bulk of the money in the last race of 3 1/2 furlongs, but his race was away below par. Negligence made the running, Nova finished fast, and just succeeded in catching Chahua in the last few strides. Summary:

Trotting, three-year-olds, two in three, purse \$200. Miss Barnabe (C. A. Durfee)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Miss (Weinert)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Sena A. (Hoschbach)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Bianche E. (Coppam)..... 1 1/2 1/2 R. J. (Hoschbach)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Tia Juana (B. Harvey)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Time 2:25, 2:27 1/2, 2:29. Corona finished first, but was placed last for repeated breaking. Pacing and trotting, two in three, purse \$200. Billy McKinley (Stewart)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Gen. Smith (Hammett)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Rex E. (Stewart)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Lady Fair (Miller and Donaham)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Alfred H. (J. Hammett)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Time 2:28, 2:34, 2:37 1/2. Pacing and trotting, members of the Golden Gate Association, two in three, purse \$200. King Caldon (W. K. Kane)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Rian Wilkes (O'Kane)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Alva (Miller)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Panada (Richardson)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Pansie (Richardson)..... 1 1/2 1/2 Running, three-year-olds, Futurity course, purse \$250. Sunella won, Talpa second, Flash third. Running, one mile, selling, purse \$200. Orabie won, Augustus second, Roadrunner third; time 1:45 1/2. Running, five and one-half furlongs, selling: N. C. Chahua second, Maj. Cook third; time 1:38 1/2.

THE DERBY MEETING.

American Jockeys Fare Well in the Several Events.

ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT. LONDON, Aug. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] At this third day of the Derby September meeting the race for the Quardion Selling Plate of 106 sovereigns, for 2-year-olds, was won by H. Barnato's chestnut colt Swears, ridden by Ted Sloan. Five horses ran. The betting was 12 to 8 on Swears. The Redkettle Plate of 200 sovereigns was won by J. Porter's 3-year-old chestnut filly Crowborough. Martin, the American jockey, had the mount on Chaffinch, the finished second. Three horses ran. In the race for the Ranezor Stakes of two sovereigns each for starters, with a 100 sovereigns prize for 2-year-olds, Sloan won in 2:17 1/2 and was third.

William Beresford's Perdicus; Reiff, on Richard Croker's Salina, and Martin on Lord Duvrains's Monneria, finished in the order named. Four horses ran. The distance was two miles. Four horses ran. The distance was two miles. Four horses ran.

EASTERN BASEBALL.

Louisville Losing \$200 a Day and Will Stop Playing.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 31.—The Colonels rallied in the ninth inning, but their errors had given Washington a lead they could not overcome. The baseball season in Louisville will close Saturday. The remaining sixteen games scheduled for this city have been transferred. President Dreyfus claims the club has been losing \$200 a day, and that the strain is more than the directors care to stand. The attendance was 200. Score: Louisville, 6; hits, 15; errors, 5. Washington, 3; hits, 10; errors, 3. Batteries—Zimmer and Powers; McFarland and Roach. Umpires—Gaffney and Latham.

BROOKLYN-CLEVELAND.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. BROOKLYN, Aug. 31.—The Cleveland forced Brooklyn to play an uphill game for five innings, but after that it was a runaway affair. The attendance was 1500. Score: Cleveland, 3; hits, 8; errors, 2. Brooklyn, 9; hits, 14; errors, 5. Batteries—Schmidt and Duncan; Hughes and Farrell. Umpires—Snyder and McGarr.

ST. LOUIS-BALTIMORE.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 31.—The Orioles could not do much with Young. The attendance was 1500. Score: St. Louis, 5; hits, 8; errors, 4. Baltimore, 3; hits, 8; errors, 3. Batteries—Young and Criger; McGinity and Smith. Umpires—Manassau and Connolly.

PITTSBURGH-NEW YORK.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. PITTSBURGH, Aug. 31.—Pittsburgh had the game in hand after the fourth inning. The attendance was 1500. Score: Pittsburgh, 8; hits, 14; errors, 2. New York, 7; hits, 14; errors, 6. Batteries—Tannehill and Schrieffer; Seymour and Wilson. Umpires—Swartwood and Hunt.

PHILADELPHIA-CINCINNATI.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. CINCINNATI, Aug. 31.—Orch was invincible. The attendance was 1500. Score: Cincinnati, 2; hits, 5; errors, 5. Philadelphia, 9; hits, 15; errors, 6. Batteries—For and Wood; Orth and McFarland. Umpires—Emslie and Dwyer.

CHICAGO-BOSTON.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—The fielding was clean with many brilliant plays on both sides. The attendance was 750. Score: Chicago, 5; hits, 10; errors, 1. Boston, 2; hits, 7; errors, 6. Batteries—Griffith and Chance; Donahue, Willis and Clarke. Umpires—O'Day and McDonald.

THE SHAMROCK'S MAINSAIL.

Goes Up for Fifteen Minutes and Needs No Attention.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—For just fifteen minutes the yacht Shamrock had her mainsail set today. The sail is a beauty, with its cloths running the regular way, from head to foot, and a high peak to it. Soon after breakfast the Shamrock's crew "turned to." They stretched the foot of the mainsail along the boom, then hauled the clew out and made it fast. There are eighteen hoops on the mast. These were next seized on, and after the foot of the sail had been fastened to the traveler, the head of it was laced to the gaff, and at 12:15 o'clock the big sail was hoisted. It remained up just long enough to satisfy Capt. Booth that it needed no alterations. Then it was lowered and carefully covered by the crew. It will not be hoisted again until the arrival of the yacht's designer. He is due here tomorrow on the Campania with the Shamrock's owner.

CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS.

Interesting Matches at Kenwood Country Club, Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—After winning an interesting match of doubles from Miss Fuller and Miss Delaney at the Women's Western Championship Tournament at Kenwood Country Club today, Miss Atkinson and Miss Craven were defeated in the semi-final round by Miss Neal and Miss McAlister. In their first match Miss Craven and Miss Atkinson played in excellent form, and won in straight sets.

The superior net work of their opponents was too much for them in their second match, however, and they succeeded in winning but four games in two sets. In the final round, doubles tomorrow, Miss Neal and Miss McAlister will have as their opponents Miss Banks and Miss Neely. In the single matches, Miss McAlister defeated Miss Parker, and Miss Neely had an easy time with Miss Banks. Summary: Doubles, second round—Miss Atkinson and Miss Craven defeated Miss Fuller and Miss Delaney, 6-2, 6-2. Miss McAlister and Miss Neely defeated Miss Pennington and Miss Lee, 6-0, 6-2. Semi-final round—Miss Neely and Miss Banks defeated Miss Parker and Miss Chapman, 6-4, 1-6, 6-1. Miss Neely and Miss McAlister defeated Miss Atkinson and Miss Craven, 6-1, 6-4. Miss Neely and Miss McAlister defeated Miss Parker, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5. Miss Neely defeated Miss Banks, 6-1, 6-1.

CRICKET AT SCARBOROUGH.

Australians Competing With C. I. Thornton's Picked Team.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. SCARBOROUGH (Eng.), Aug. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] In a cricket match here today, between the Australians and C. I. Thornton's eleven, the former in their first inning were all out for a total of 232 runs. At the close of play, the Thornton team had recorded 54 runs for three wickets down.

BIG BICYCLE ORGANIZATION.

Forty Million Dollars' Worth of Paper to Be Issued.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The American Bicycle Company completed its permanent organization, and Albert G. Spaulding was elected president. For the purchase of the various plants, which include the oldest and most prominent bicycle concerns in the United States, there will be issued \$40,000,000 5-per-cent, twenty-year gold debenture bonds; \$10,000,000 7-per-cent preferred stock, and \$20,000,000 common stock, leaving in the treasury ample means for the purchase of such additional plants as may be desirable, and of the extension of the business, especially in foreign countries. The largest amount of all of the \$10,000,000 preferred and the \$10,000,000

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CONFERENCE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW ASSOCIATION.

Scarcely a Score of Delegates Present—Inaugural Address Delivered by Sir William Kennedy. Report to Be Prepared on The Hague Convention.

ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT. BUFFALO (N. Y.), Aug. 31.—The eighteenth annual conference of the International Law Association opened today with scarcely a score of delegates present. In the audience were the wives and daughters of a number of British lawyers. The conference was called to order by Joseph G. Alexander, Q. C., of London. Sir William S. Kennedy presided at the meeting. Senator Charles F. Manderson acted in the capacity of honorary president. Sherman S. Rogers delivered the address of welcome.

Officers were elected as follows: Sir Richard E. Webster, Attorney-General for England, president; Senator C. E. Manderson of Nebraska, honorary president; Hon. Sir William S. Kennedy, president of the eighteenth conference; W. C. Endicott, Judge of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts; Bancroft Davis and Carl Schurz, vice-presidents for the United States; Rt. Hon. Sir John Lubbock, treasurer; James Alexander and George C. Phillips, members, both of London, secretaries.

Hon. Sir William Kennedy delivered his inaugural address. He spoke of the necessity for an adjustment of international maritime insurance, the question of foreign judgment and the question of immunity of private property in time of war.

Dr. Evans Dossy, secretary of the Peace Society, London, presented the reports of the Committee on Arbitration. The conference accepted the report adopted by the executive committee on July 18, 1899, of the special committee appointed at the London conference of 1893, which has, in accordance with the provisions of the Brussels conference in 1885, presented a scheme for the formation of the court of international arbitration.

The conference cordially thanks the committee for the care with which it has completed the work entrusted to it, directs that the scheme be printed in the proceedings of the conference, and commends it to public notice as the association's contribution to the further elucidation of the question.

The conference recommended that the various members labor in their respective countries: (A) To procure the early ratification of The Hague convention relative to the settlement of international differences. (B) To promote treaties between two or more states agreeing to submit their differences to arbitration under the provisions of the convention.

The conference decided that a special committee be appointed to examine in detail the provisions of The Hague convention, and prepare a report thereon for the next conference. The resolutions were taken up one by one, after brief addresses touching their import and value.

Charles H. Butler read a paper on "Immunity of Private Property at Sea, when Captured During War." He was followed by Thomas Barclay of Paris, on the same subject, after which the conference adjourned until tomorrow, when a resolution will be offered on the subject.



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Native Sons of the Golden West.
A NEW parlor was instituted at Pomona last Saturday evening with thirty-five charter members, by Grand Organist Steinbach, assisted by Grand Trustee Frank Sabich and others from Los Angeles. The officers were installed by H. C. Lichtenberger of Ramona Parlor, No. 103.

Native Daughters of the Golden West.
A NEW parlor is to be instituted at Santa Paula, with thirty-four charter members.

The Fraternal Field.

Masonic.
THE present is perhaps the dullist week among the Masonic bodies of the city this year, the bulletin at the Temple being almost devoid of announcements, but the coming month will witness a revival in nearly all branches.

Signal Chapter, No. 57, R.A.M., conferred the Mark Master degree Monday evening.

West Gate Lodge, (U.D.) conferred the Entered Apprentice degree Wednesday evening.

The Order of the Temple was conferred by Los Angeles Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templars, last evening.

Pred C. Devendorf, a member of Berlin Lodge, No. 35, and Berlin Commandery, No. 10, K.T., Wisconsin, who died in this city last Friday, was buried Sunday under the auspices of West Gate Lodge (U.D.) with Los Angeles Commandery, No. 9, K.T., as escort.

Both bodies held services at the grave in Rosedale cemetery.

The largest Masonic lodge in the United States is Minneapolis, No. 19, Minnesota, with 122 members. The four next largest are as follows: Hiram, No. 1, New Haven Ct., 73 members; Second Falls, No. 267, Rochester, N.Y., 72 members; Covenant, No. 526, Chicago, 64 members; Grand Rapids, Mich., 63 members.

John J. O'Brien, formerly of Pasadena, a thirty-third degree Mason, was made a member of Crescent Court, Orange Lodge, at San Francisco, last week.

Order of the Eastern Star.
OWING to repairs in the interior of the Temple, the next meeting of the local Chapter, No. 21, will occur on the third Monday of this month.

Mrs. Minnie D. Brown, Worthy Matron of Acacia Chapter, No. 21, has departed for a visit to friends in Kansas.

Odd Fellows.
LAST year, California with 30,373 members paid \$24,365.84 for relief, and \$251,916.60 for current expenses, an average disbursement of \$15.73 per member. Notwithstanding this high average disbursement, the assets of the lodge were increased nearly \$70,000. In his recent official visit to Capitol Lodge in Sacramento, Grand Master W. A. Bonyne was given a rousing reception, and nearly 300 members of the lodge, a thirty-third degree Mason, was made a member of Crescent Court, Orange Lodge, at San Francisco, last week.

Ladies of the Maccabees.
OWING to repairs in the interior of the Temple, the next meeting of the local Chapter, No. 21, will occur on the third Monday of this month.

Native Sons of the Golden West.
A NEW parlor was instituted at Pomona last Saturday evening with thirty-five charter members, by Grand Organist Steinbach, assisted by Grand Trustee Frank Sabich and others from Los Angeles. The officers were installed by H. C. Lichtenberger of Ramona Parlor, No. 103.

Native Daughters of the Golden West.
A NEW parlor is to be instituted at Santa Paula, with thirty-four charter members.

The Rebekahs.
THE Rebekah drill corps, which proposes to be on duty at the most attractive features of the coming golden jubilee celebration in San Francisco, is being drilled by Col. H. O. Brawer. Allie Parker of Oriental Lodge has been selected as captain. Ella Carroll of the home of the Rebekahs, and Winnie Towle of Templar Lodge as Ensign.

Knights of Pythias.
GAUNTLET LODGE, No. 129, conferred the rank of Esquire upon two Pages Monday evening.

L. C. Hannum, P.C., of Aetna Lodge, No. 107, of Pomona, and George Williams, P.C., of Pacific Lodge, No. 203, of Santa Monica, among the visitors to Gauntlet Lodge, No. 129, on Monday evening.

The San Francisco lodges are making arrangements to inaugurate a series of joint monthly or semi-monthly entertainments for friends who may desire to learn more of the order, a move by the way, that might be initiated with profit in Los Angeles.

Long Beach Lodge, No. 210, conferred the rank of Knight on Lieut. Purity Temple, No. 2, Rathbone Sisters, initiated one candidate last Saturday evening, followed by a social session.

At an entertainment to be given by Selby Lodge at Crockett next Saturday evening, the drama of "Damon and Pythias" will be presented.

Much inquiry is being induced in by members of lodges in the vicinity regarding the probability of a picnic this year. As yet nothing definite has been done by the committee.

Lodge No. 132, conferred the rank of Knight in amplified form Tuesday evening.

The remains of P. C. Newport of Atkins Lodge, No. 135, of Atkins, Iowa, were present.

smoker to his friends Tuesday evening, which was well attended.

Grand Overseer W. E. D. Morrison paid an official visit to the Riverside Lodge Wednesday evening, and to the Randburg lodge last evening.

The members of Orange Grove Lodge, No. 312, and their friends, enjoyed a social and dance Tuesday evening.

Monrovia Lodge has taken the initial in a movement for a monster celebration of the thirty-second anniversary of the order on October 21, in the form of a picnic, to be participated in by all lodges of Southern California. The several lodges of this city will enter into the movement, and appoint committees to meet on the 15th to arrange therefor.

America Lodge initiated two candidates Wednesday evening.

Independent Order of Foresters.
W. R. UBER, D.S.C., instituted a new court, thirty-eight charter members at Norwalk, Ariz., on August 21. He is now at Bisbee, where he expects to put in another good court before the session of the High Court at Fresno, which he will return to attend.

The total membership of the order at last report was 149,405, of which California has 8711, of which number 81,711 were added during July. The surplus fund now amounts to \$3,507,760.32.

Court Morris Vineyard, No. 532, initiated two candidates on Friday evening, and elected W. L. Richards Chief Ranger. He proposes to inaugurate a series of socials, following the regular sessions.

Court Temple, No. 510, received a visit Tuesday evening at the close of their regular session from a number of ladies of the Pomona Court Morris Vineyard, and a pleasant social occasion was the result.

Chief Ranger G. A. McElfresh paid an official visit to Court Palmetto, No. 345, Monday evening; to Court Ahuena, Tuesday evening; and to Court Angelina, No. 342, Wednesday evening.

A new court, organized by the members of the High Court, will be instituted by High Chief Ranger G. A. McElfresh at Cucamonga this evening.

Grand Army of the Republic.
THE national encampment of the Grand Army will convene at Philadelphia next Monday. Col. Cohen, Past Department Commander of California and Nevada, and other representatives from this department will be present. The following-named are among the California representatives who will take part in the encampment: Gen. Charles A. Woodruff, Assistant Commander-General United States Army; J. R. Turpin and Phil J. Landerman, George H. Thomas, Post No. 2, San Francisco; F. K. Russell, Lincoln Post, No. 1, San Francisco; J. J. Gosper, Portland Post, No. 6, Los Angeles; A. E. Davis and Col. E. W. Jones, Stanford Post, No. 55, Los Angeles; T. Rice, Riverside Post, No. 1, Los Angeles; Warren Post, No. 54, Sacramento; Judge John W. Glass, H. J. Wallace, Grand Post, No. 42, San Jose; W. W. Russell, Corinth Post, No. 80, Marysville; Maj. J. H. Simpson, Kilpatrick Post, No. 88, St. Helena.

In addition to the G. A. R. National Encampment at Philadelphia next week, the national convention of the Pomona Post, No. 1, and the Grand Army of Veterans will be held at the same time and place. The National Beekeepers' Association and the American Pomological Society will meet there at the same time. The National Encampment of Sons of Veterans will be held in Detroit, Mich., on the 15th.

The ladies of Keweenaw W.R.C. No. 22, gave Past President Mrs. Griffin a surprise at her home on Pasadena avenue August 29, the occasion being her birthday. They were laden with good things for supper, as well as presents for their hostess.

Woodmen of the World.
A FIESTA CAMP, No. 63, initiated four candidates and received one by card during August. The sick department of the camp now numbers seventy-five members. This camp is offering several prizes for contests at the picnic on the 9th.

East Lake Camp initiated two candidates Tuesday evening. The officers were installed by P. G. Bartholomew of San Diego. Good delegations were present from La Brea, Fremont, W. S. Beckwith, D.H.C., who organized East Lake Camp, is now organizing a new camp at University, with good prospects of success.

The officers and "plant team" of Pasadena Camp, No. 23, were the guests of W. S. Beckwith, D.H.C., at his home in that city Monday evening.

Modern Woodmen of America.
THIS young giant among fraternal beneficiary orders, which has granted permission at the late session of the head camp to enter California, will soon have a vigorous camp in this city. There are already 200 members here. U. S. House of this city, who has been appointed Deputy Grand Consul, is organizing the first camp.

Although the order is comparatively little known here, it is the second largest beneficiary order in point of membership in the United States, with 404,385 members and has paid to the beneficiaries of deceased members up to July 1, \$12,550,185. Its increase in membership last year was 66,904, the largest of any fraternal beneficiary order in the United States.

State Deputy J. F. Harris from Oakland is expected to arrive in the city next Tuesday, to arrange for a public meeting in the interests of the order in the near future.

The Fraternal Brotherhood.
RETURNS have just been received from the headquarters of the order, instituting of a new lodge at Salinas on August 14, to be known as Montezuma, No. 43, with twenty-eight charter members. It was organized by T. J. Stinson and H. C. Lewis.

Supreme Actuary C. W. Stone during a recent trip to San Diego opened the charter of the order there and received several applications Monday evening and elected E. A. Beck president, to succeed Mrs. Rowe, resigned.

Washington Lodge, No. 51, had a good class for initiation last evening, and received several new applications.

death. The foregoing is the twelfth death claim the Fraternal Brotherhood has been called upon to pay during its existence. It has been promptly paid. The aggregate is \$13,250.

Mrs. Emma R. Neldig, S.V.C., was at Long Beach Monday in the interest of the order.

Junior Order U.A.M.
HANCOCK COUNCIL, No. 20, received three applications last Friday evening. Union Council, No. 5, received four applications for membership last Friday evening.

At the last session of the National Council, a beneficiary degree or division was adopted.

Order United American Mechanics.
THE councils from Los Angeles, Pasadena and San Pedro, with their families, enjoyed a picnic at Terminal Island last Saturday. A number of State Council officers were also present and numerous speeches and other entertainment was indulged in.

The National Council will convene at Rome, N. Y., on the 12th. Members of the order may observe a coincidence in this connection. Past State Council P. P. Livermore of this city is the delegate from California.

Los Angeles Council, No. 1, initiated three candidates last evening.

Independent Order of Good Templars.
THE "old bachelors" of Merrill Lodge, No. 239, entertained the "old maids" of that lodge and their friends Monday evening at their hall, No. 266 South Spring street, from 7 to 11 p.m.

Following: Vocal solo, Miss Ruby Wise; recitation, Miss Pearl L. A. Swan; dramatic recitation, Mrs. A. A. Evans; recitation, Miss Evans; vocal duet, Messrs. Halmach and Ellis; ad libitum, "Reminiscences of a good friend," Mrs. H. J. Syverston; closing remarks, H. J. Syverston. The programme was followed by a social.

Knights of Honor.
THE lodges in the vicinity of San Francisco are to have an excursion to Los Gatos on the 9th in rally decorated cars bearing the colors and emblems of the order. A barbecue will be served.

Salinas lodge has been instituted at Salinas with forty-two charter members, by Grand Dictator P. L. Archibald, Past Grand Dictator E. F. Joy, Grand Hospitaller Thomas Johnson and W. Statham.

Royal Arcanum.
REGENT L. W. MCCOY and Vice-Regent C. C. King of Angeleno Council, No. 1708, and William Inner of Fort Huachuca Council, Utiaca, N. Y., were among the visitors of Los Angeles Council, No. 149, at its session last week.

Grand Secretary G. L. Davidson and Grand Guide D. W. Malcom were visitors and speakers at the session of Sunset Council, No. 1074, Monday evening.

Mrs. Hargis of Sunset Council has returned to the city after a long absence in Arizona.

Grand Regent Regent Smith of Sunset Council is taking a vacation.

Improved Order of Red Men.
COCOPIAH TRIBE, No. 81, conferred the Adoption and Warrior degrees on two palefaced last Friday evening.

Past Sachem Peter Hansen has been appointed District Deputy Great Sachem for this city and vicinity.

United Moderns.
LOS ANGELES LODGE, No. 90, enjoyed a social Tuesday evening. Among the visitors were Supreme Vice-Chancellor E. M. Elliott, Chancellor W. J. Burke, Past Chancellor U. R. Liddell and wife of Needles Lodge, and Mrs. R. C. Fletcher of Phoenix Lodge. Addresses were made by Charles F. Lee and E. M. Elliott, and dancing followed. There were over two hundred people present.

E. M. Elliott, S.V.C., has been appointed District Deputy, D.S.C., in the organization of the lodge at Long Beach, to be instituted next week.

Regent Miss Louise Bandholt of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 90, is spending a few weeks at Long Beach.

General Organizer Saunders is organizing a new lodge at Santa Barbara, with good prospects of success.

United Ancient Order of Druids.
MAGNOLIA GROVE, No. 97, initiated thirteen candidates Tuesday evening, and decided to change the night of meeting from Tuesday to Thursday.

Several groves of the city report applications and initiations at every meeting.

NEW MONEY ORDERS.

PRESENT FORM TO BE CHANGED IN DOMESTIC USE.

The Liability to Make Mistakes Will Be Greatly Lessened and a Saving of Time Effectuated—Discrepancies Have Been a Source of Annoyance to Postmasters and Remitters.

[Washington Times.] The Postoffice Department has adopted a new form of domestic money order, which will be introduced gradually, or as supplies of the old form become exhausted, at the various postoffices throughout the country, after the 4th of September.

The new form is somewhat smaller than the order now in use. Its dimensions are about those of the ordinary bank draft. It has two adjuncts—the advice, or notification to be sent by the issuing to the paying postmaster, is a reproduction of the order through the use of carbonized paper (the manifold process), and a receipt for the amount, to be furnished by the issuing postmaster to the remitter.

On the back of the order a separate space has been provided for the stamps of banks through which it may be passed for collection.

In color the order is blue, having a light blue ground, with fine, closely interlaced lines of geometrical lathwork, of darker shade. In the center is a rectangular bearing of the words, "Postal money order" in shaded capital letters of the same two tints of blue. The order is printed on lathwork paper, which will prevent imitations; but, as an additional safeguard against counterfeiting, a horizontal line of perforations is provided, separating the order from the receipt, S. M. O., in broad capital letters, has been wrought into the paper on which the form is printed.

Through the process mentioned (the carbon, or manifold process), the order and the advice are produced simultaneously. By the same operation, the essential particulars of name and payee, date, amount, and place of payment, as written in the order, are duplicated, reproduced and made to appear in the advice precisely as in the order. The liability to mistake is thus greatly lessened and a saving of time effected.

Discrepancies between order and advice, which, by entailing additional correspondence, have heretofore been a source of annoyance to the department and postmasters, as well as to remitters and payees, are prevented, and absolute uniformity between the order and advice insured. The dispatch of advice, which heretofore has not been made out until after issue of the order, will also be accelerated.

RECEIPTS WILL BE FURNISHED.

The receipt, which is to be furnished by the issuing postmaster to the remitter, showing the number and date of the order, and the amount paid, is also, in the main, a reproduction by the carbon process, of the writing and stamping on the order, hence, must be identical with the order.

The adoption of a receipt has been heretofore impracticable. It will tend to reduce the number of money order supplying more than all else what was needed to make it, in the estimation of the public, a perfectly satisfactory method of remittance.

Possession of the receipt will give the remitter a check on the order, in the back of it he may make, for his own convenience, a memorandum of the name and address of the person to whom the receipt is sent. Production of the receipt will greatly facilitate reference to the records, if it becomes necessary for the remitter to make application for a duplicate order or inquiry as to whether the original has been paid; and there will be a saving of time will be effected.

In shape and size the new order is deemed a decided improvement over other forms of money order. Its dimensions being about those of the ordinary bank draft, it may be conveniently handled when mixed with different kinds of commercial paper. It is believed that the change made in this respect will be greatly appreciated by banks and business people generally.

That the new order may win its way to public favor by its simplicity, clearness, and adaptability, great care has been taken to give it this character by adopting a plan of making it by avoiding surplusage in the text or wording, and by using plain type and excluding whatever would be merely ornamental.

HOW THE SYSTEM HAS GROWN.
The postal money-order system, from a small beginning in 1854, when the number of money-order postoffices established in the United States was 419, has grown to be one of the great indispensable agencies of the postal service, there are now about 30,000 such offices. The number of domestic money orders issued in the United States during the past year was over 30,000,000, amounting in value to \$200,000,000. The system is used most extensively for remittances from places where bank exchange is not so readily obtainable. While supplementing facilities for remittances between populous centers, it has its own special field supplying means for the safe and cheap transmission of money where no facilities for the purpose could not be successfully maintained.

In the adoption of the new form of order the interests and preferences of patrons of the system no less than economy of administration have been taken into consideration. It is confidently expected that it will tend to enhance in no small degree the popularity of this method of making remittances, which is expected, on or about January 1 next the fee charged for orders will be materially reduced.

EXCURSION AND BENEFIT.
Trip to Catalina and Help for a Trip to Worthy Institution.
On Saturday, September 3, there will be an "excursion from this city to Santa Catalina Island, over the Terminal Railroad, and the tickets will be sold at reduced rates. The Banning Company and the Los Angeles Terminal Railroad Company have generously arranged to donate the major portion of the proceeds to the Newsboys' Home, a worthy institution, which is in need of funds. Those who take advantage of the low rate and long time to visit the beautiful resort at this delightful season, will also be aiding a good cause. It is believed that many people who have deferred their outing until the advent of warmer weather, will be pleased with this opportunity to spend a week or two on the charming beach of

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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Aug. 31.—(Reported by local observer, Franklin Local Forecast Official.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.74; at 5 p.m., 29.85. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 78 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 84 per cent.; 5 p.m., 66 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., southeast, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 88 deg.; minimum temperature, 61 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles 69 San Francisco 52

San Diego 64 Portland 56

Weather Conditions.—The pressure is considerably below the mean and falling steadily west of the 10th meridian. It continues low in the Southwest, accompanied by cloudy weather in the coast sections, with southerly winds. Generally cloudy weather prevails on the Pacific Coast this morning. Showers have fallen at Flagstaff, Denver and Dodge City. The temperature has risen in the mountain regions and on the Pacific Slope from Point Conception northward. It is slightly cooler in Southern California.

FORECASTS.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity.

Generally cloudy and unsettled tonight, possibly with local showers, becoming fair Friday afternoon; cooler; south to west wind.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31, 5 p.m.—Weather conditions and general forecast.

The following maximum temperatures were reported from stations in California today:

Eureka 53 San Luis Obispo 72

Red Bluff 59 San Diego 74

Sacramento 82 Independence 84

Fresno 84 Yuma 108

Los Angeles 88

San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 62 deg.; minimum, 52 deg.; mean, 57 deg.

Cloudy weather prevails over the upper portion of the San Joaquin Valley. The pressure has risen quite rapidly over the Pacific Slope during the past twelve hours, but is yet much below the normal. The temperature has fallen decidedly in the Sacramento Valley. Conditions are unsettled in the eastern portion of California and showers are probable in the mountain districts tonight and Friday morning.

Forecasts made at San Francisco for thirty hours, ending at midnight, September 1:

Northern California: Generally fair Friday, except light showers in the mountains of the eastern portion; cooler in the interior; fresh to brisk west wind.

Southern California: Generally fair, except showers in the mountain regions of the eastern portion; fresh west wind.

Arizona: Cloudy with thunderstorms Friday, San Francisco and vicinity: Generally fair Friday; brisk wind.

The Times' Weather Record.—Observations made at 1 p.m. and midnight, daily.

Aug. 31.—1 p.m. Midnight.

Barometer 29.40 29.40

Thermometer 83 72

Humidity 72 72

Weather Clear Foggy

Maximum temperature, 21

Minimum temperature, 64

Hours 8

Tide Table.—For San Pedro.

High. Low.

Friday, Sept. 1, 7:28 a.m., 1:11 a.m.

Saturday, " 7:02 p.m., 12:46 p.m.

Sunday, " 7:42 p.m., 1:25 p.m.

" 8:25 a.m., 2:13 p.m.

" 8:18 p.m., 2:05 p.m.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

A correspondent writes The Times saying there are several positions in the Soldiers' Home now filled by men who never saw service in the army, and that such places should be given the returning soldiers, or such of them as may apply for them, when they shall have been discharged.

Pasadenans are about to even up things on the Fourth of July score by throwing their greatest efforts to the grand display for "Pasadena day" at the coming G.A.R. encampment at Long Beach. This is well as, but for the men and their deeds in the "sixties," there had been no Pasadena. Again, the wealth of patriotic fervor born of the magnificent memories of that fearful contest find a vent in such occasions, and renew in the veins of the aged veterans the fire that made for deathless fame then. Officially they are passing away; socially they are passing away; individually they are leaving gaps in the ranks and are joining the ghostly ranks on the other side. Soon their corporeal presence will be but a tender memory. Let us, then, honor them while we may.

The very best there is, is none too good for Riverside county. From oranges, down through water and oil, even on to puzzling "pints" of law, this garden of the gods is the lead. One John A. Revington is elected as principal of the Pujol school, and certain parents there have the hardihood to object to him because he is "an habitual frequenter of the saloon, where he is in the habit of playing games of chance, drinking intoxicating liquor, and of carrying himself in a way to show his evident unfitness for the profession of teaching." The "pint" in this case is, do these things constitute a valid cause for unceremoniously throwing this man out of Pujol? They certainly would do so anywhere else. Revington acknowledges the "corn," juice and all, and practically says to his accusers "you're another."

The police patrol wagon is a good thing in its place, and an effective adjunct to the department, but to the suffering nerves of scores of kind-hearted and humane people it becomes a sort of Car of Juggernaut when it is being driven at break-neck speed, zig-zag across tracks and around corners in the meritorious attempt to bring a wounded patient to the City Hospital. Even hackney coaches are provided with rubber tires, and it would be in accord with the present progressive and enlightened policy of city affairs if something were done to make the lot of the unfortunate easier in the hour of greatest need. An ambulance with modern appliances may be out of the question, but rubber tires could be placed on the patrol wagon at a small cost, thus doing away with this most just cause of complaint.

The whirlwind is come to San Pedro sooner than expected, through the slot-machine. The Trustees who licensed the curse and bound it on the bodies and souls of the youth of that unfortunately-governed burg, now find that the treacherous wretches who run these games are true to their native instincts, and that they have no honor, "even among thieves." It is now attempted to defeat the blood money of \$25 per month for the gambling device by substituting a token that will enable these "good-hearted gentlemanly gamblers" to beat the very men who sought to help them. Were it not for the stricken homes of San Pedro this would be a good joke on the Trustees, but it is now more a tragedy than anything else. San Pedro may never hope for true progress while this nether millstone is strangling the moral, mental and physical life in her young men.

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CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

CITY HALL AND COURTHOUSE NINES SEEK THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Plans for Monday's Baseball Game of the Public Schools for the Reception Fund for Battery D. Three Official Surgeons Invited.

The bombastic challenge issued from the Courthouse to those who labor in the City Hall, proposing a match game of baseball at Fiesta Park on Monday afternoon, for the benefit of the reception fund for Battery D, has been promptly answered in kind, and the game will certainly be played. The haughty demeanor of the "gang on the hill," as the Courthouse employees are styled, was taken to indicate that they thought the City Hall baseball players inferior to those of a team he been organized, which the City Hall men declare will make the other fellows come off their high perch, in a baseball sense at least. The challenge came from the legal department of the county. It was answered yesterday by City Attorney Walter Haas, who addressed the following communication to Dist. Atty. James C. Rives:

"Replying to your communication of August 30 I would say that the rumor that you refer to in said communication as existing in the minds of a few very fine fellows in the City Hall, that said fine fellows think they know something of baseball, is true. They not only think they know something of baseball, but they want to assure you with all candor that they are most able and willing to educate you and your friends in said highly civilized national game. Therefore, your earnest solicitations in that behalf shall reap a reward, and although compelled to descend from their high and mighty position of 'fine fellows' and take on the guise of pedagogues, yet from a feeling of humanity, they are willing to devote a few hours next Monday afternoon at Fiesta Park in this city to teaching the Courthouse so-called baseball push the rudiments of the great national game. Be promptly on hand and don't forget your

Deputy Street Superintendent Carl McStay undertook the work of organizing the City Hall nine. He soon found that he had more material than he could use. He made several selections, and then began a trying-out process in practice games. The result was that the following team was announced yesterday: Harry Leonard, catcher; Guy Hill, pitcher; A. Settle first base; C. W. Cook, second base; Carl McStay, third base; Fred Wilding, shortstop; Will Beach, left field; W. R. Leach, center field; Ralph Hogan, right field. This list of players is subject to change, for there is said to be no end to the list of available substitutes.

One little matter remains to be settled, that of the appointment of umpires, for the double umpire system is to be adopted. For the Courthouse nine Deputy District Attorney McComas has been suggested. His appointment is satisfactory to the other side, provided his chief, Dist. Atty. Rives, agrees to witness the game. It has been suggested that the City Attorney and the District Attorney make a little Supreme Court, to which the legality of the decisions of the umpires may be appealed. The suggestion has been made also that, owing to the handicap of the City Hall team in not having practiced as much as the other side, the City Hall players should be allowed to place either Counselman Lauder or City Assessor Ben Ward, or both, behind its catcher as additional batsmen. The request has also been made that the City Auditor and County Auditor keep scores for the respective sides. City Health Officer Foxworth, County Health Officer Mathis, and Police Surgeon Hagan have been sent complimentary tickets, and written invitations to attend the game. The police and Sheriff's officers will unite in preserving order. Such details as the price of admission and the time the game will be called will be settled today. The proceeds are to go to the fund for the reception to be tendered Battery D.

STRIKE THAT FAILED.

The Last Card Played by the Union Plumbers.

The plumbers who struck several weeks ago in an effort to force the master plumbers to raise wages of journeymen from \$3 to \$3.50 a day, have awakened to a realization of the fact that the strike has failed, and now they are cudgeling their brains for new ways to attack the master plumbers, who refuse to be dictated to. Thomas Haverly and Newell Bros., the two firms affected by the strike, brought six capable men here from San Francisco, and without difficulty found in Los Angeles plenty more men to fill their forces to the full number. They have proceeded with their contracts and done new business without trouble or delay. The latest move of the strikers is to try to induce the Master Plumbers' Association to deprive Haverly and Newell Bros. of membership, as only members are allowed a discount on plumbers' supplies by the jobbers. The Master Plumbers' Association met last night, but took no such action. All that was done was to appoint a Conference Committee, two of the three members of which are non-union master plumbers. Haverly and Newell Bros. say that there is nothing to concern about, and that they are perfectly satisfied with the existing situation.

Disputed Mining Claim.

A suit to retain possession of a mining location was begun yesterday in the United States Circuit Court by R. A. Devers, W. D. McComb and six other interested parties. It is alleged in the complaint, that R. H. Upton and Lena Skillings have attempted to secure possession of a valuable gold claim found by Messrs. Powers and McComb on March 18, 1898. The claim in dispute is located in the Rand mining district in Kern county. The discoverers allege that they have complied with the law in every respect, placing the claim in the public land office and doing the required amount of work each year. The defendants are said to have attempted to relocate on a part of the property under the name of the "Jim Crow" lode claim.

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McCall's Fashion Magazine 5c.

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SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES.

As most of our readers know cotton goods have been advancing by leaps and bounds. There is very little white cotton goods of any kind for sale in Los Angeles at the market price of two months ago. Anticipating this market advance we have prepared ourselves with a stock of cottons at the old prices that will last for a long time. Consequently our figures do not follow the upward tendency of the market. We quote the prices below not as special but as our regular day in and day out figures.

Bleached hemstitched sheets of Utica muslin, 6-4, 50c; 7-4, 55c; 8-4, 60c; 9-4, 65c; 10-4, 70c.

Hemstitched pillow cases of bleached Utica muslin:

45x36 inches, 20c.

50x38 1/2 inches, 22c.

54x40 1/2 inches, 25c.

Bleached hemmed sheets of Lockwood muslin, 6-4, 35c; 7-4, 40c; 8-4, 45c; 9-4, 50c; 10-4, 55c.

Hemmed pillow cases of Utica muslin:

42x36 inches, 12 1/2c.

45x36 inches, 15c.

50x38 1/2 inches, 16 1/2c.

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ACTUAL-COST-MARK-CHARTS.

W. Lubin's great Main St. Clothing
and Shoe House will close up
for good October 1st.

W. Lubin's
great Main
Street Cloth-
ing and Shoe
House will per-
manently re-
tire from busi-
ness October
first. Their en-
tire stock will
be closed out
at Actual Cost
beginning to-
morrow morn-
ing.

Merchants invited to call and
examine goods and make
offers for lots. Fixtures of
the entire double store for sale.

The Private Cost Mark of the firm is now revealed to the public--
as the cost price is the present selling price.

So cut out the cost mark and come
in and wait on yourself.

OX-Z 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0

For instance, you pick up a pair of shoes marked in plain figures to sell for \$2.00, the
cost mark would read something like this OXZ or \$1.27, which would be the present
selling price--Could anything short of finding five dollar gold pieces be easier?

We want to strongly emphasize the fact that this is a genuine, honest

Retiring From Business Sale.

Every dollar's worth of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hats and Furnishings--every dollar's
worth of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes goes without reserve--this includes all
early fall goods. Don't think because we are located on Main street that we don't sell
good goods. We know the location is bad, that the business part of the town has
grown away from us--that is the reason we are going to quit.

We expect to make sacrifices--but we shall be satisfied if you will look here before you buy. No store that
expects to stay in business can or will try to meet our prices. The grandest chance of your life--Come tomorrow.

W. LUBIN, 116-118 N. Main.

NEW HELLMAN BUILDING, NEAR FIRST STREET.

DRIVEN TO DEATH.

ALLEGED CRUELTY TO A HORSE LAST SUNDAY.

Valuable Animal Killed by a Heart-
less Young Man--Proprietor's
Wrath Easily Appeased--Humane
Office Craig Investigating.

The attention of Humane Officer
Craig has been called to a flagrant
case of cruelty to an animal, that has
been talked of in police circles for sev-
eral days, but which the parties con-
cerned have taken every precaution to
suppress.

The facts, as reported to the Humane
Office, are that a young man named
Carson, who is prominently connected
in the city and county, left his own
horse and buggy at W. R. Murphy's
tally-ho stables, No. 712 South Broad-
way, last Sunday, and hired another rig
for the day. He drove to Pasadena and
returned and continued to the country
south of the city for what distance
was not stated. About 10 o'clock Sun-
day evening he telephoned to the tally-
ho stables from Washington Gardens
that a wheel of the buggy had be-
come locked, and that the horse had
given out. He reported that the rig
would be found hitched on Main street,
below Washington, then he boarded a
street car and started up town.

In due course of time Mr. Murphy and
his head stableman arrived at the place
where the horse was hitched, and found
the animal in a deplorable condition. It
had the "thumps" so badly that the
head seemed ready to burst through
the animal's sides. The ears were ice
cold, and the perspiration was running
off the horse's body in a stream. Spec-
tators who had gathered about the suf-
fering animal, including several police-
men and private watchmen, declared
that Murphy was highly indignant, and
threatened young Carson with a fine
for having driven the animal to such an
extremity. He declared it was the best
horse in the stable, and he took the
names of the officers present as wit-
nesses of the condition in which the
poor animal was left. The buggy whip
was worn down to the handle, and
showed signs of having been used un-
mercifully. One of the wheels was
found to be locked on account of a dry
axle. How far the horse had been
driven with the buggy in that condi-
tion is not known. A pint of whisky
was poured down the horse's throat,
and an attempt was made to lead it to
the stable, but about fourteenth
street the animal dropped dead. Dr. W.
E. D. Morrison held a post-mortem ex-
amination on Monday morning. The
lungs of the horse were found to have
turned black and to be caked, a con-
dition said to be due only to overexer-
tion.

Murphy's desire to have the inhuman
author of the horse's death punished
seems to have been cooled by a mon-
etary consideration, or some other form
of settlement. His head stableman, at
least, when questioned about the af-
fair stated that the report that a horse
had been driven to death must be a
mistake. When asked what the name
was, if not Carson, he replied that
something of the kind had occurred, but
referred the interviewer to Mr. Murphy
for particulars. Murphy when inter-
viewed by telephone refused to confirm
or deny the story, told by reputable
witnesses. He acknowledged satisfac-
tion for whatever had occurred, but de-
clared that a young man of the name of
Carson had rented a rig from him last
Sunday. When asked what the name
was, if not Carson, he replied that it
was Carson.

Whether Carson, or Carson, it is
pretty certain that one of Murphy's
horses was driven to death, and the
Humane Office intends to find out who

the culprit is, and to have him brought
to justice.

NEWMAN CLUB.

Literary and not Social Aims to Be
Emphasized.

The Newman Club has decided to
retain its literary character, and to
discard any attempt to make itself a
primarily social organization. Last
evening, after the regular monthly din-
ner had been partaken of at Jule's,
Joseph Scott, the secretary, read a
strong paper on "The Scope of the
Newman Club," which crystallized the
prevailing sentiment that it would be
a descent from the original aim and
best interests of the club to lower the
standard of membership. Mr. Scott's
paper was in part, as follows:

"I take it for granted that no prac-
tical member fails to realize that we
have grave and responsible work be-
fore us. The responsibility that rests
upon us as members of the Newman
Club is in my humble opinion, simply
to do our full duty as Catholic lay-
men; and that I take it in brief to
be the scope of the Newman Club.
"What splendid examples has not
this very century produced of sterling
catholic manhood among the laity?
Some of our fathers are able to tell
us of their reminiscences of the great
O'Connell; how he stood before the
bar of the English House of Comm-
ons, and refused to take an oath that
was a negation of his religion, and
how, in spite of the jeers and scoffs
and insults of an English Parliament,
he fearlessly pursued the steadfast
course until he imprinted the statutes
of Catholic emancipation among the
laws of England, and thereby left a
name that should be a talisman for-
ever to us who follow him. The splen-
did achievements of Windham, and
the pluck and nerve he exhibited in
his attack upon the whole Prussian
Reichstag, and the many laws of Bis-
marck, is too recent history to discuss
here. But his example, it is to be
hoped, is also a refreshing tonic to
the cause at hand.

"I have cited these examples to in-
dicate what, to my mind, is one of the
essential features of our organization,
and that is to make our religion known
on the outside.
"For one, am satisfied with our
constitution as it stands at present.
The original idea was conceived after
grave study and deliberation and con-
sultation with the most thoughtful men
among us; and without desiring to con-
gratulate the club, in my opinion, I
believe that it has not been so far un-
successful. We require a literary
qualification, because we deem such a
test necessary for active participation
in the work of the club. The prepara-
tion of papers to be read to this club
should require work and research to
a degree that is very difficult for the
most cultured among us.

"The Catholic layman in America is
a vital factor in the upbuilding of the
church. Let the Newman Club, gen-
tlemen, be the test of our strength. Let
us stand upon our constitution."
At the conclusion of the paper,
President Francis announced that on
behalf of the Newman Club he had
bespoke a box for the great benefit
of the Orphanum for the reception fund
for Battery D.
Maintenance of the literary nature of
the club was urged by R. F. Del Valle,
I. B. Dockweiler, James C. Kays, H.
C. Dillon, John J. Bodkin, R. J. Dillon
and W. H. Workman, Jr. A letter
was read from ex-Senator White, who
was unavoidably absent, in which he
said: "I am intensely interested in
seeing the literary feature fully pre-

served." A resolution was then unani-
mously carried clinching this point.

Among the invited guests were:
Bishop Montgomery, Rev. F. X. Antill,
M. S. Liebana, M. McAuliffe, P. F.
Farrelly of Pasadena, and Joseph Bar-
on of Santa Monica.

The members present were: John F.
Francis, James C. Kays, R. F. Del
Valle, John J. Bodkin, Zach Mont-
gomery, H. C. Dillon, L. A. Grant, I.
B. Dockweiler, Joseph Scott, T. Frank
McGrath, Dr. Isaac Rivas, W. A. Dis-
coll, John Alton, John J. Bodkin,
Stephen V. Childs, R. J. Dillon, W. H.
Workman, James F. Keneally, L. W.
Johnson, Frank J. Heil, Dr. A. J.
Scholl, A. I. McCormick, William Fitz-
gerald, J. E. Hannon.

BEATING A BOARD BILL.

Gus Williams Charged with Having
Committed the Offense.

Officer Broadhead was summoned to
the corner of Third and Main streets
last night to arrest a young man giv-
ing the name of Gus Williams on a
charge of beating a board bill at
Santa Monica.

The warrant on which Williams was
arrested was sworn out in Recorder
Wells' court at Santa Monica yes-
terday afternoon, at the instance of
Landlord Orr of the Atlanta Hotel.
Orr alleges that Williams stayed at
his hotel for several days, and left at
5 p.m. yesterday, without settling his
bill.

Mr. Orr secured the warrant, and
followed Williams to this city. Learning
that he had secured a team at the
Panorama stables, Orr waited for
his return, when he telephoned to the
Police Station for an officer to arrest
the man.

Williams was locked up in the City
Jail last night, and will be returned
to Santa Monica this morning to an-
swer the charge.

PERSONALS.

Roy Wheeler, son of Mrs. Robert J.
Burdette of Pasadena, was in the city
yesterday en route to Belmont School.
Mr. and Mrs. George P. Phibbs will
leave for San Diego tomorrow to be
gone about ten days.

Postoffice Inspector H. B. Hall re-
turned yesterday from a short stay at
Coronado.

An Offending Rooster.

A resident in the vicinity of No. 509
West Twenty-third street, complained
to the police yesterday of the pres-
ence at the above number of a vigor-
ous rooster with a fog-horn voice. It
is alleged that the offending fowl
was in a most reprehensible man-
ner at all hours of the night, thus pre-
venting the neighbors from enjoying
the benefits of unbroken slumber.

Officer Bob Stewart, colored, sug-
gested that if the matter of regu-
lating the hours during which this
particular rooster should be allowed to
crow were referred to him for adju-
dication, he was confident that he could
settle the matter to the satisfaction
of every one concerned, with the ex-
ception, perhaps, of the owner of the
rooster. As yet, however, his services
have not been called into requisition.

University Opens Next Week.

The University of Southern California
will open on the 11th inst. President
White said yesterday that he expected
a much larger attendance than last
year. The vacancies on the faculty
have been filled. Miss Virginia W.
Kennedy of the Women's College, Bal-
timore, will succeed Miss M. E. Plim-
pton as teacher of English. Miss Plim-
pton will teach in the University of Arizona
this year. Prof. Lee Emerson
Bassett, who taught elocution at the
university last year, will teach at Stan-
ford, and Prof. J. W. Roberts of Cleve-
land, O., will succeed him in the chair.

SMALLPOX SWINDLE.

How It Cost a Hotel-keeper Five
Thousand Dollars.

[New Orleans Times-Democrat:] "I
dare say you never heard of the great
smallpox swindle," said the hotel man-
ager. "The fact of that remarkable
affair were withheld at the time for
the most urgent reasons of policy, and
now I prefer to tell the story
without names or localities. It hap-
pened in the fall of 1886, when a cer-
tain hotel in a large western city was
the height of the season, two gentle-
man-looking strangers put up at the
house and were assigned to what we
call a 'double room.' About a week
later one of them appeared at the office
and requested a private interview with
the manager. I regret to inform you
he said after the door was closed, 'that
my friend is down with a severe attack
of smallpox.' The proprietor nearly fell
out of his chair. There was known to
be smallpox in the city, and the bare
suggestion that the disease had ap-
peared in the hotel was enough to
send it in a twinkling. The news
news got out meant the loss of thou-
sands upon thousands of dollars. It
meant the ruin of the season's business.
"He must be quiet, and I must be
said the proprietor, trying to control
his agitation. 'Removed,' exclaimed
the other, 'taken through the cold air
to a lazaretto! Why, man, that would
be murder! I'll not permit it!' The
hotel-keeper was thunderstruck. 'Do
you mean to say he must stay here?'
he gasped. 'Certainly,' said the
stranger.

"It was a ticklish situation. The
hotel-keeper dare not enforce his bar-
gaining, while to let the case remain
was like storing gunpowder in a fur-
nace. He pleaded, protested, be-
gged, threatened, and blustered, but
all in vain. The man was as firm as
a rock. 'If you attempt to eject my
friend,' he pleaded, 'I'll push your
inhumanity to the entire com-
munity.' Finally it occurred to the
disappointed proprietor to see, first,
whether it was really a case of small-
pox. So he sent for a physician, and
swore him to secrecy, and hustled him
into a room. The doctor took one
look at the disfigured face on the pil-
low and reported that the malady
was there in a malignant type. He
advised the owner's immediate removal
at any cost. 'If you keep him here,'
he said, 'the disease may
spread and it would ruin you for life.
You owe something to your guests.'
Again the proprietor interviewed the
friend, and again the latter refused to
budge from his position. 'Where can
I take him?' he demanded. 'You know
very well I can't get comfortable quar-
ters for such a purpose, and I won't
have him in a pesthouse. Please
send him to the lazaretto on earth!'
The hotel man felt his hair stand on
end, but concluded to let things stand as
they were until morning.

"Next day he sent for the sick man's
friend and asked him whether he had
any suggestions to make. 'Yes,' he re-
plied. 'I thought up a plan over night,
which you may adopt or not, as you
like. As I said before, he continued,
'it is useless to try to sympathize for
such a case. We might, however,
buy a small cottage and take him
there. I have figured the thing up, and
the total expense would be about
\$5000. If you are willing to hand over
that amount I will take him
away and assume all further
responsibility. I make the offer
entirely out of sympathy for your
guests. The landlord looked him in the
eye. 'If too, have thought the situa-
tion over,' he said, 'and I'm convinced
it is a confidence game, pure and sim-
ple. I'm convinced there's nothing
the matter with your dear friend up-
stairs, but I am also convinced that
the slightest breath of the affair would
greatly damage the reputation of
this business proposition. I
consider it worth \$5000 to get rid of
you.' The other man smiled ironically.

"Call a cab and get out your money,"
he said, and inside of an hour the
incubus had been spirited through a
side door swathed in blankets and
driven away. As the landlord shrewdly
surmised, the whole thing was a
confidence game, and he learned the
particulars later on through a sport he
had once befriended. There was nothing
the matter with the rascal up-
stairs, except that his face had been
pricked a little with a quill dropped
in crooked oil, something that makes a
horrible-looking pustule, which disap-
pears in a few days, and leaves no
mark. I always thought the hotel man
showed good sense in taking the course
he did. He was caught in a trap and
took the cheapest way out. The bare
rumor of even a suspected case would
probably have involved a loss of \$50-
000 or \$60,000. It was far better to
pay the \$5000 and charge it to educa-
tion."

SWAPPING A WIFE.

A Fat Pig Thrown in to Blind the
Bargain.

[From Forest and Stream:] Some
sixty miles north of the city of Puebla,
the table land, which is the topograph-
ical mark of all central Mexico, drops
off suddenly like the pitch of a manna-
roof. The endless plateau disappears
and one descends through a winding
barrenness whose sides are clothed with
pines, and presently emerges upon an
open plain or sabana, the hacienda of
Ocotolot.

We are in great deer country now.
The wary game finds excellent feeding
in these open glades and perfect pro-
tection in the surrounding forests. It is
a region to make the heart of a true
sportsman glow and to make his fingers
itch for his rifle. But game is not all
which you find of interest. The old
haciendado (I wish I might tell you his
name) will open his saguaro doors with
true Mexican hospitality. He is as
keen-minded as he is large-hearted,
and he will entertain you with quaint
stories of these primitive people. For
society here is yet unsophisticated. The
road with its innovations is still many
leagues away, and human nature grows
up here undisturbed. If you are very
fortunate you may hear him tell the
following story, which he told me not
long ago, vouching upon his honor as
a caballero for its truth.

Among the thousands of peons em-
ployed upon this hacienda was one
notable for his laziness. He was joined
to a woman who, though very pretty,
was as shiftless as her husband was
lazy. These two lagged through their
tasks together, making sorry work of
it. Not far from this pair lived an-
other. The man was the leader in the
field, the most capable of all the work-
men; the woman, curiously enough, was
of like character, strong, energetic, cap-
able. These two were always be-
forehand with their work, while with
the lazy couple things went from bad
to worse.

At last light broke in upon the soul
of the lazy man, and he went to the
other with a proposition: "See here,"
he said, "you know that you are an
energetic man and that I am not. You
are always getting through with your
work, and I am never done with mine.
The fact is, my wife is no help to me.
If I had your wife and you had mine,
I should get along much better, and
you would be all right, anyway, you
are capable. Now I'll tell you what
I'll do. I have a nice fat pig down
at the house, a fine fellow; if you
swap I'll throw in the pig and call it
a bargain."

The offer was accepted, and the re-
adjusted four are now living happily
at Ocotolot.

[Commercial Appeal:] Sir Thomas
Lipton expresses much gratification
over the fact that he has been tendered
the freedom of New York Harbor. Did
Sir Thomas expect us to compel him
to keep his yacht in a wagon yard, or
in some friend's garret? Not while its
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tail what your disease is, explain our
treatment, give you full satisfaction in every way absolutely FREE of charge.
You can then think over the matter intelligently.
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uated that it is impossible to visit us personally, write us.
Our complete mail treatment, by which patients unable to visit office treat
themselves at home under our directions, makes the expense very much less.
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OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

When the trader, Manors, to his credit, has been able to secure commercial qualities," says the *Westminster Gazette*. An interesting chapter in trading history could be written on the effect of a study of local preferences in color upon our foreign trade. Words which color a trader's account would which color a trader's account. Curious points to be found in recent commercial reports. Thus we are told that the Russian traders in England are largely due to the German's cater for the Russian peasant's fondness for red in all textile articles. "Many of the Russian traders are attempting to supply China with goods of the title: the same article in byproducts are being favorably received. The market for such goods is large. In this connection is the story of how São Paulo taken away our trade with Brazil. It had been the custom

LOS ANGELES MARKETS.

there was some improvement of strength
by some in July earnings. The bears were
inclined to cover by some of the industrials
realizing in Continental Tobacco preferre



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City Briefs.

The Good Samaritan. Remember the needy. Save your cast-off clothing, beds, bedding or stores for poor families of the city. A request for made-for shoes and clothing for poor children. Drop a card to Fred Vristed, at the "Good Samaritan" (formerly Capt. Fraser's place) No. 135 East Seventh street, and anything you have to donate will be called for.

The Times business office is open all night, and lines of clothing, etc., will be received up to 1:30 a.m. Small display announcements may be sent in up to that hour, but large display ads. cannot be attractively set if brought in later than 8:30 p.m. Telephone Main 29.

The Waldorf-Saloon, 445 South Spring street, will have a young pig barbecue Saturday evening, Sept. 2nd. Music by Schenemann-Blanchard Orchestra. Alf Mackenzie & Billy Logan, Props.

J. F. Hughes, for many years with W. E. Cummings, the shoe man, has left that firm to take charge of the new store on Spring street of F. F. Wright of San Diego.

The Times job office has removed temporarily, while new building is being erected, to basement of The Times Building.

All kinds plain machine composition at 30 cents per thousand ones, including measure, at The Times job office.

Los Angeles Military Academy reopens September 26. Visitors take Westlake Traction cars.

Dr. J. M. Armstrong, 416 Byrne Building.

Furs repaired, D. Bonoff, 247 S. Bldwy.

Rachel Millinery, 337 S. Spring st.

John Kief had the third finger of his right hand mangled in a closing door last night. He applied at the Receiving Hospital, where the injured digit was dressed.

A pair of gray horses were stolen on Wednesday night from the stable of Nardo Buenaño, No. 1629 East Twelfth street. Yesterday the matter was reported to the police.

Leo Brock, a young boy, was run over by a light wagon last night, but was only slightly injured. A few bruises on his left arm were dressed at the Receiving Hospital, after which he was taken home by his father.

Charles H. Carlson, an employee of a Broadway carpet cleaning works, applied for treatment at the Receiving Hospital yesterday afternoon. A horse stepped on one of his feet, inflicting a painful bruise. He was treated and sent home.

HELD TO ANSWER.

Alleged Chicken Thief to Stand Trial on Three Charges.

Karl Schillinger, who is alleged by the police detectives to be one of the most dangerous criminals, as well as the most expert chicken thief, in the State, was before Justice Austin yesterday for preliminary examination on three charges of burglary.

Last winter hen-roost raids were of such frequent occurrence, and were performed in such an audacious manner, that the detectives were almost in despair. The thief or thieves became so bold that Chief of Police Glass finally detailed a squad of officers on bicycles to patrol the residence section of the city from where complaints were most frequently received in the hope of apprehending the desperado of chicken roosts, but the fowls continued to disappear.

Finally Karl Schillinger was arrested by detectives on charge of chicken stealing. It is alleged that he attempted to escape from the officers, and was wounded by a shot in one of his arms from Detective Auble's revolver. The bone was badly shattered, and when dressing the wound at the Receiving Hospital Police Surgeon Hagan found it necessary to wire the bone.

Schillinger is alleged to have confessed to the detective that he was responsible for the majority of the chicken raids, which for a time set the police by the heels. He was sent to the County Hospital, where, although chained to an iron cot in the prisoners' ward at the hospital, Schillinger made his escape one night and remained at liberty until several days ago, when he was recaptured in Vernon district.

Yesterday Schillinger was examined on three charges of burglary. It is alleged that on December 4, 1898, he stole sixteen chickens from the coop of A. W. Steele, No. 786 Kohler street; December 14, 1898, seventeen Plymouth Rock fowls from the premises of Fred O. Johnson, No. 1693 Orange street; and December 16, 1898, a turkey from the yard of G. F. Herr on Bonnie Brae street, which the family fondly expected to discuss at its Christmas dinner. Schillinger is alleged to have sold his plunder to a Sixth-street poultry dealer. The fowls were put in the latter's yard during the night, Schillinger calling the next day to collect for them. The dealer was led to believe that Schillinger was a country rancher, and that the most convenient time for him to deliver the fowls was during the early hours of the morning.

At the conclusion of the prisoner's examination yesterday, he was held to answer to the Superior Court on all three charges of burglary, bail in each case being fixed at \$100.

PONY CRIPPLED.

Electric Car Collides With a Wagon and Team.

Yesterday morning about 11 o'clock a Ninth-street car was going south just below the Henderson block. The street was full of vehicles, among them a little wagon drawn by two ponies, belonging to Wells & Sons, candy makers on Spring street. In front of the Los Angeles Theater stood a heavy wagon. The driver of the ponies, to pass this, pulled almost into the middle of the street, not observing the electric car just behind him. In a moment the heavy trolley car smashed into his wagon, breaking two of the wheels to pieces. The off pony, which was furthest from the point of collision, was caught and rather badly hurt in its off hind leg. It seemed at first as if the animal's leg was broken, but this proved not to be so.

The motorist stopped his car very promptly, and this prevented any more serious results.

F. E. BROWNE MISSING.

F. E. Browne, "the furnace man" whose office and factory was 122 East Fourth street, has not been seen at the above address for several days, and his whereabouts are a mystery, as he has not only been seen, but interviewed by those well acquainted with him. Mr. Browne's explanation of his sudden disappearance from his old stand to his new one, 519 South Spring street, is that he considers it a better location, and is in better shape to handle the fast-growing demand for his hot-air furnaces.

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(RAILROAD RECORD.)

A STEAMBOAT SCHEME.

Grand Canyon Line—Lower Road.

Conventions.

A corporation has been formed at Stockton to own and operate steamboats on San Francisco Bay and the waters emptying into it. There is a wide field open to this enterprise. It can be extended from the inland waters of the State to the coasting trade from Puget Sound to Mexico. Properly developed, it would result in the building of many short electric lines from interior points to wharves on the rivers, bays and ocean harbors. One has but to glance at the situation to see how easily railroad monopoly could be brought to an end on this coast by just such an enterprise as that begun at Stockton.

President Ripley of the Santa Fé was in Arizona a few days ago. He was given as authority for the following assertions:

"The visit of President Ripley of the Santa Fé system, assures the building of the Santa Fé and Grand Cañon Railway from Williams to the head of the Bright Angel trail. The Santa Fé is to furnish the steel and will take the bonds of the company in payment. The grading for fifteen miles out of Williams is practically complete, even to culverts and bridges, and the second section of fifteen miles will be completed in about two weeks. The main reason for the construction of the Grand Cañon Railway is the desire to reach the copper mines on the rim of the cañon, but adequate provision is to be made for tourists by the construction of hotels at the rim and in the depths of the cañon. Among the further plans is the construction of an incline railway, somewhat similar to that on Mount Washington, where passengers may explore the depths of the cañon with ease and safety."

The road has a contract to lay the rails on the first fifteen miles of the road, and T. H. Rich & Sons have a contract to finish forty-five miles of the road by November 15.

Railroad building in Iowa is active. The St. Paul Pioneer Press says:

"Several hundred and thirty-five miles of new railroad will be built in Iowa this year. It will bring the State's mileage up to almost 9000 miles, and is expected to place this State second in railroad mileage in the union. For several years Iowa was first. Following are the companies making the additions to the Iowa mileage, with the number of miles each will build: Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 73; Chicago and North-Western, 70; Minneapolis and St. Louis, 65; Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, 115; Illinois Central, 130; Wabash, 75; total, 735."

R. Blackthorn will be elected to be held in the next few weeks are as follows:

September 5, National Railroad Master Blacksmiths' Association, Milwaukee, Wis. Secretary, A. L. Woodward, Lima, O.

September 12, Roadmasters' Association of America, Detroit, Mich. Secretary, J. B. Dickson, Sterling, Ill.

September 12, Master Car and Locomotive Engineers' Association, Philadelphia. Secretary, Robert McKen, Kent, O.

September 12, Traveling Engineers' Association, Cincinnati, O. Secretary, W. O. Thompson, Elkhart, Ind.

September 19, American Association of Traveling Passenger Agents, at Denver, Colo.

September 26, Canadian Roadmasters' Association, Toronto, Canada. Secretary, J. Drinkwater, Winchester, Ont.

September 26, Eastern Maintenance of Way Association, Portland, Me. Secretary, F. C. Stowell, Ware, Mass.

October 4, Freight Claim Association at Washington, D. C.

October 11, American Railway Association at New York.

The Santa Fé has been informed that 100 naval reserves are to be turned over to the road at Kansas City today, to be taken to San Francisco on their way to Manila.

The Pacific Coast steamer Bonita, billed to sail north from San Pedro September 4, has been taken off.

The Broadway Department Store employees had a picnic at Terminal yesterday.

The Southern Pacific has just completed the hauling of \$5,000,000 gold coin from the mint at Carson City, Nev., to San Francisco. It was hauled in bags of \$10,000 each, and took several cars to perform the service.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

William Richard Maeder, aged 23, a native of Wisconsin, and Minnie Emily Lerch, aged 23, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

August C. F. Doe, aged 26, a native of Minnesota, and Emma G. Robinson, aged 23, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Hon. L. Brock, aged 24, a native of Texas, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Maria Kennedy, aged 24, a native of Ohio and a resident of Santa Monica.

DEATH RECORD.

MERRILL.—In this city, August 31, 1899, Samuel Merrill, ex-governor of Iowa, aged 77 years.

Funeral from the First Congregational Church, Sunday, September 2, at 2 P.M. Friends invited.

PICKENBACH.—In Monrovia, August 31, 1899, Joseph Pickenbach, a native of Germany, aged 35 years.

Funeral, Saturday, September 2, at 2:30 o'clock, from the parlors of Booth & Roysen, 222 South Main street. Friends and acquaintances invited. Interment Rosehill Cemetery.

PR.—In Yuma, "MARRY R. SKIFFEL," No. 133 West Jefferson street.

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WORMLOZENGES 25c
SOOTHING SYRUP 25c
MALTED MILK 40c
MELLIN'S FOOD 35c and 55c
ESKAY'S FOOD 40c
HIVE SYRUP, 2-oz. 10c
TEETHING RINGS 10c

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The newest novelties,

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widths, elegant qualities

and worth from 30c to

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241-243 S. Broadway.

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Your choice of any

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125 South Spring St.

Men's Suits, \$9.39.

Judges of cloth tell us that nowhere do they find such satisfying suits for \$9.39 as here. The reason is this: We are offering goodness usually found at \$12.50 and \$15.00 for that price. Nor is it the goodness that shows only on the outside. The inside—the linings are good. Up to the best and highest standard of ready-to-wear clothing. The suits in question are made of worsteds, chevots and cassimeres, and represent a wide range of patterns. Hardly any two alike. That is why they are reduced to..... **\$9.39**

Women's Suits

Last chance to get one of those elegant \$10 wash suits for \$2.50; there are only 30 of them left. Made of covert, denim, duck, pique and granite.

cloth in blazer and Eton styles, the skirts and jackets are neatly trimmed with bands of white duck; they are beautifully made and perfect fitting; at..... **\$2.50**

SECOND FLOOR.

Dress Made of good, heavy

Skirts white pique and cut in

the newest shape,

have deep hems and some are

trimmed with buttons on back;

we've sold loads of them at

\$1.25, reduced now to..... **79c**

SECOND FLOOR.

Shirt Hundreds of shirt

Waists made of

percales with full fronts, some

are beautifully trimmed with in-

sertion, all of our waists, formerly

sold up to and including

\$1.50; to be closed out at..... **59c**

SECOND FLOOR.

Flannelette

Night Gowns

So pretty, so well made

and of such good quality

that it is hard to

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night gowns in pink,

blue and cream, cut ex-

tra wide and long;

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inferior grades, priced at..... **75c**

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Boys' Boys' percale blouse

Waists waists with large

ruffled fronts, in stripes, checks

and plaids of light colorings; also

some indigo blue percale waists,

ages 3 to 8 years. Then there

are some striped shirt waists in

light and dark effects, made with

plaited backs and tucked fronts

and have hold-fast but-

toms; ages 4 to 13

years; choice for..... **25c**

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piano now, even if you

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Sets hard wood, croquet

balls and stakes, and oiled mal-

lets; sets come in a strong, dove-

tail jointed box; 8-ball sets at

\$1.25, 6 balls at \$1.00,

and 4 balls at..... **75c**</